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ROAD FUNDS GROWING

Automobile Tax Piling Up Money—Biggest Balance in Treasury May 1 in History of the State.

We are printing this week our last digest of the new laws passed by the 47th general assembly and are giving some instances of how these laws and new departments under them are working to the advantage of the people.

Automobile Fund Growing.

The number of registered owners of motor vehicles in Missouri is growing by leaps and bounds. Secretary of State Cornelius Roach reports that up to date the 1913 registrations, since February 1st, have reached 24,894. This is 515 more machines for the past three months than were registered during the entire twelve months of the 1912 registration period. The receipts for 1912 registrations, up to May 1st of that year, were $78,809.50, while the receipts this year, for the corresponding time, amount to $116,982.50 or an increase for the first three months of the annual period of $38,173.00. All fees received for the registration of motor vehicles are deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the state good roads fund.

Give New Laws a Trial.

And now it's the Full Crew Bill that is to be submitted to the referendum test. Along with half dozen other new laws, this measure does not please everybody and it, too is threatened with the referendum in order to suspend its operations for a couple of years. Would it not be well enough to give the new laws a chance to make good? Give them a trial and if found to be bad laws the legislature can repeal them two years hence. It would be the part of wisdom to give a measure a working chance before condemning it.

Clothing to Be Cheaper.

Under the new tariff measure, clothing will be cheaper. You will be able to buy a ready-made suit from $2 to $6 cheaper this fall than last fall. That ought to help reduce the high cost of living a trifle.

Minimum Light Charge Illegal.

E. J. Bean, attorney for the Utility commission, holds an opinion that patrons of electric light companies can not be compelled to pay $1 or any other fixed charge for services unless their meter shows they used that amount. It is the universal custom almost of electric concerns to collect $1 a month provided the toll by kilowatt hour does not exceed that sum. This opinion was based upon a recent decision of the supreme court.

Corporations Pay the Freight.

Jack Blanton says in his Monroe County Appeal that the utilities commission touched a big corporation for $16,744 the third day it was in existence and is going to be self-supporting. State Treasurer Deal has gathered in $100,000 more for the use of public funds than has heretofore been paid. Secretary of State Roach is getting returns from the $120,000 additional tax from a new levy on Missouri corporations. Auditor Gordon is going to save the state something like a quarter of a million dollars through his new system of auditing accounts. Never in all its history has Missouri's affairs been so efficiently administered as under the present administration. More money will be available for schools, more money will be available for roads, more privileges will be enjoyed by the private citizen and more restraint thrown around corporate greed than ever before. Best of all, state taxes will not be increased to the extent of a single penny. And all these good things were authorized and made possible by a Democratic legislature.

Good Law for Railroaders.

Railroad men everywhere will appreciate the bill introduced into the legislature by Mr. Correll of Randolph county to prevent the use of dangerous and defective locomotive engines and to otherwise provide for the health and safety of railroad employes. It prohibits the use of any locomotive that is not equipped with elastic springs of sufficient strength to support the cab, fire-box, boiler, etc., in such a manner that they may not come in contact with the truck or trailer box, and that such springs shall be of sufficient strength to prevent the shock occasioned by the running of a locomotive over irregularities in the track from being communicated to the occupant of the cab. It is a well established fact that constant jolting in a locomotive cab has been very injurious to the trainmen and a number of serious diseases, common among engineers and firemen, have been traced directly to this cause. The same law provides for better heating equipment for the cab, better protection from inclement weather and other health and safety of the brave fellows who operate our trains.

Country Banks Can Handle State Funds.

The action of the recent Missouri legislature in enacting house bill 590 into a law not only makes it possible for small banks all over Missouri to handle some share of the state funds, but likewise authorizes the treasurer to accept approved real estate mortgages as security. Heretofore the law has required him to let the money be bid off by twentieths. This made it possible, of course, for only a few of the bigger banking institutions to get a share of these deposits. In the course of time it might have been expected these few banks pooled their interests and offered a much less rate than had previously been paid and much less also than the treasurer had a right to expect. At the suggestion of State Treasurer E. P. Deal, a bill authorizing him to divide the funds into eighty equal parts was introduced by Mr. Barbee of Saline and promptly passed by both houses. This new law not only puts a part of this big fund in reach of the average country bank, but will so stimulate competition among them that a much more favorable rate of interest than could otherwise be expected will be obtained. In this connection the farmers of Missouri will be interested in the fact that mortgages on their real estate will now be put on the same footing as the bonds of the government, state or city, and will be accepted as security for such funds as may be deposited in a bank which proves to be a successful bidder.

Drainage Department Active.

John H. Nolen, land reclamation commissioner, is actively at work upon plans to protect a half million acres of Southeast Missouri land from overflows. Mr. Nolen has just perfected arrangements for the organization of the second largest drainage district in the United tSates. Preliminaries for the organization were threshed out at Sikeston last week. The plan of landowners is to build a continuous levee from Commerce, in Scott county, south along the Mississippi river to the Arkansas line for the protection of 500,000 acres of land located in Scott, Mississippi and New Madrid counties. It is believed that the major portion, if not all, the cost of this levee will be paid for by the Mississippi River commission out of the funds appropriated by congress for river improvement. The land owners will construct the necessary internal levees, ditches and floodways to drain the land. The total cost of levees, ditches, floodways and other works will amount to not more than $2,500,000, of which amount about $1,225,000 will be expended for levee building. Mr. Nolen is thus early giving evidence of the usefulness of the department created by the recent legislature that will look after the drainage districts and sections subject to overflows.

Big Balance On Hand.

State Treasurer E. P. Deal found the biggest balance in the treasury when he closed that department for the month of April that ever was in the treasury in the history of the state. The balance reached the very large figures of $6,222,000. It would have been about $7,000,000 had not the large amount been paid out under the general appropriation bill which Governor Major signed on April 23. The governor vetoed enough items in the general appropriation bill to bring the state out on the right side of the ledger at the close of the biennial period, January 1, 1915. About a quarter of a million got the pruning knife direct, as much more will be held up and probably a half million appropriated will not be used, thus insuring the treasury against a possible deficit.

To Be Held Tuesday Night.

The rural commencement exercises of Lincoln township, which was to have been held Saturday night at Elmo, was postponed until Tuesday night. The exercises were put off on account of the rain Saturday. They will be held at the Elmo opera house, and the address of the evening will be given by County Superintendent Oakerson.

FOR TRACK MEET

ELEVEN EVENTS ANNOUNCED WITH TWO PRIZES EACH.

TAKES PLACE MAY 17

Events Are for Boys and Girls of Grades in Polk Township—Literary Exercises at Empire.

The list of events for the track meet for the rural pupils of Polk township, to be given Saturday afternoon, May 17, on Main street in front of the court house, was announced Monday. The track meet will be given in connection with the rural commencement exercises to be held that afternoon at Empire theater. All pupils of the rural schools are cordially invited to take part in these contests.

The following are the officers in charge:

Miss Golda Roach, president; Miss Mary Fordyce, secretary; Miss Grace Fisher, treasurer; Prof. V. I. Moore, referee; Prof. H. P. Swinehart, starter; L. M. Eek, announcer, and Homer Neff and Cordon Vickery, judges.

The following is the list of events:

50-yard dash—For pupils of grades 5 and 6. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Sack race—For pupils of grades 2, 3 and 4. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Ball throwing contest—For girls of grades 6, 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash—For girls of grades 1, 2 and 3. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash and return—For boys of grades 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash—For boys of grades 1, 2 and 3. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash—For boys of grades 4, 5 and 6. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash—For girls of grades 4, 5 and 6. First prze, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Hop, step and jump—For boys of grades 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Running flat jump—For boys of grades 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Driving contest—For girls of grades 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

TO MAKE TESTS.

Boards of Public Works to Find Out if L. J. Mensch's Plans Are Practical.

The board of public works decided to make some tests of L. J. Mensch's plan for repairing the water tower before they will go ahead and give him the contract for the work. This was decided at a conference held Saturday night by the board and Mr. Mensch. The tests will be made by City Engineer Flynt, under the direction of Mr. Mensch.

The question in the minds of the local officials is whether a foundation for the proposed cement support structure under the tank might not affect the whole structure. The weight weight bearing qualities of the ground and the question of possible settling of the structure are to be determined. Mr. Mensch proposes to place six feet of concrete over the whole area of thirty-four feet in diameter.

Mr. Mensch is after the work of repairing the water tower. His bid was $4,120.

TEACHERS SELECTED.

Parnell School Board Saturday Employed Teachers for Next Year.

The teachers for the Parnell school were selected by the school board at a meeting at that town on Saturday night. Prof. Wm. H. Allen, the new principal of the school and who will succeed J. P. Cummings, comes from Columbia. The other teachers are: Miss Nellie Hayworth, grammar; Miss Helen Waske, intermediate, and Miss Angie Waldeier, primary. Miss Waske is a new teacher for the school.

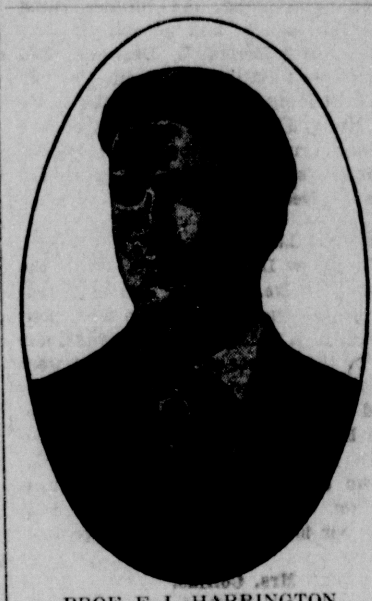
MADE PRESIDENT

HONOR FOR PROF. E. L. HARRINGTON AT COLUMBIA.

CAMERON ON COUNCIL

Two Maryville Men Recognized at Missouri State Science and Mathematics Association Meeting.

Prof. E. L. Harrington, head of the science department of the Northwest Normal, was elected president of the Missouri State Science and Mathematics Association at the regular semi-annual meeting of the association, which was held in Columbia Friday and Saturday, May 2 and 3. Prof. John E. Cameron of the Normal agricultural department, was appointed as a member of the executive council of the association. Mr. Harrington, who was formerly chairman of the science



PROF. E. L. HARRINGTON.

teachers' division of the association, is an ex-officio member of the executive council.

Prof. Cameron delivered an illustrated lecture on "Agriculture in the Schools" before the association Saturday morning, which proved to be one of the most interesting features of the meeting.

Professors Cameron and Harrington and Dean George H. Colbert, who was also in Columbia attending a conference of the representatives of the Normal schools of the state, returned Monday morning.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

The Clearmont Graduating Class Have Their Exercises This Week.

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Clearmont high school was preached at the Baptist church in that town on Sunday by Rev. R. E. Snodgrass.

The commencement exercises wll be held on next Thursday evening, May 8, and will take place in the Baptist church. The graduating class of the Clearmont school is composed of Lulu May Dew, Edward R. Smith and M. Alma Turpen. The following is the program:

Chorus—"Forget Me Not".....Geise
Invocation.....Rev. C. H. Owens
Solo—"In the Garden of My Heart" .....Blanche Wallace
Reading—"The Schoolmaster's Guests" .....Lulu May Dew
Solo—"Home, Dearie, Home"..... .....Edward R. Smith
High School Prophecy..... .....M. Alma Turpen
Duet—"Sing Me to Sleep"..... ...Mrs. R. B. Stewart, Charles Smith
Address.....Rev. R. R. Moser
Presentation of diplomas.
Benediction.....Rev. C. H. Owens

Rev. Morser is the M. E. pastor at Mamilla, Ia. He was formerly located at Blanchard, Ia.

Left for North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Strawbridge left Sunday evening for Stanton, N. Dak., where they will spend several months with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Strawbridge. Mr. Strawbridge has a farm near Stanton.

AFTER GOV. JOHNSON.

California Governor to Be Secured if Possible—Good Chance to Get LaFollette.

Prof. P. O. Landon received a letter Monday from the private secretary of Governor Hiram Johnson of California, stating that the governor may be able to come to Maryville to appear at the chautauqua, but as the governor was so busy with the California legislature at the present time that no definite announcement could be made. Mr. Landon was advised to take the matter up with Gov. Johnson about the middle of June.

Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin will also probably be an attraction at the chautauqua. Prof. Landon will know definitely in a few days or so.

2 WOOD, 97 CEMENT

THE KIND OF CULVERTS THEY BUILD IN UNION.

BEST ROADS IN COUNTY

So Says the County Surveyor, Who Has Just Made a Trip of Inspection In That Township.

County Surveyor Joseph Reese has been making an inspection of the road work done in Union township and the value of the work estimated so as a requisition can be made on the state for a like amount. Mr. Reese has been practically over two-thirds of the township and it is probable that $9,000 has been spent on road improvement work. That amount will be asked for from the state by the Union township board through the county court, which will be in session this week.

The Union township road bond issue is for $15,000 and a like amount will be received from the state. But it is necessary to have the work done before the money can be secured from the state.

Mr. Reese went over all the roads in about two-thirds of the territory of that township. He saw only two wooden culverts in that part of the township, and there were 97 cement culverts.

Mr. Reese said, in speaking of the road work in Union:

"There are probably some hills that should be cut down a little more and some fills that should be filled up more, but on an average on the trip I made, the roads are in excellent condition and Union will have the best system of roads of any township in the county. They are doing good work up there and it will be known as the banner good roads township."

A Mule Was Killed.

In the rainstorm of Friday night, D. D. McDermitt, living east of town, lost a mule, having been struck by lightning.

BRYAN AND JOHNSON.

Secretary of State and California's Governor In Contrasting Moods.

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Both the distinguished gentlemen felt in better spirits before they conferred about the proposed anti-alien land owners' law in California than they did afterward, as will be noted in their varying expressions.

BOARD SELECTED

COUNTY COURT APPOINTED HIGHWAY BOARD MEMBERS.

TO SELECT ROADS SOON

John Clary and E. H. Bainum of Maryville and S. H. Conlin of Barnard Are the Members.

E. H. Bainum, trustee of Polk township, Sam H. Conlin of Barnard and John Clary, county highway engineer, were selected Monday afternoon by the county court as the county highway board, and they will hold their officers for a term of two years and shall serve without compensation. The board is to meet within ten days at Maryville and organize by electing a chairman and a secretary of the board.

The purpose of the county highway board is to select the most practical road from Maryville to the county seat of each adjoining county in the state. A road will also be selected from Maryville to the state line with the view of connecting with the county seat or other large town or city in the border county adjoining the state. The state highway engineer will work in conjunction with the county board.

The county highway board, after selecting the roads, shall let by contract and have dragged county seat highway in the county and for the purpose of dragging the road or the betterment of the road, $15 per annum for each mile is given. The money will come from the state treasury on the certificate of the county highway board and the state highway engineer, and will be payable monthly.

The board shall not pay over 75 cents a mile for each dragging with a standard four-horse drag, not less than eight feet long. The board is limited to dragging road not to exceed two-thirds of the annual appropriation per mile in any six months.

The board is also authorized to receive and expend upon the county highway road any sums of money that may be appropriated or donated by the county or the citizens.

GIVEN HEAVY SENTENCE.

Thomas Ross for Shoplifting Received $100 Fine and Three Months—Buck Hudgens, $5 and Costs.

The city police court nowadays is a busy place. And of course, Monday is a good day. Today, Thomas Ross, who was charged with shoplifting, having taken two pairs of pants from the Corwin-Murrin clothing company, the pants being valued at $10, received a fine of $100 and a jail sentence of three months from Mayor Arthur Robey. Ross was given on Friday a fine of $20 and costs for being drunk, and added onto this sentence of Monday, he will be a city boarder for some time. His partner, John Hays, was not tried on the shoplifting charge, as there was no evidence against him.

Charles Kinder pleaded guilty to being drunk and was fined $5 and costs.

Buck Hudgens pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and received $5 and costs. Hudgens had somewhat of a narrow escape from being shot, from what we heard today. It is said that Hudgens insulted the daughter of Oliver Vance, the colored porter at the Oak, and the young lady went into the house and got her father's gun, and fired two shots at Hudgens. Hudgens was seen soon after at the depot by Oliver and somewhat of a beating was administered to him.

Was Buried Sunday.

The remains of Mrs. N. A. Kavanaugh were buried Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Miriam cemetery in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. Burial was to have taken place Saturday afternoon, but owing to the heavy rain that afternoon, the body was placed in the vault at the cemetery.

THE WEATHER

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Missouri's Alien Land Law.

Concerning the proposed alien land laws of California, to which Japan objects, Governor Johnson has said that what California desires is such control of its land ownership as several other states have, among them Missouri.

The existing Missouri Alien Land Law was enacted in 1895. It forbids aliens (citizens of a foreign country) to acquire land in Missouri by purchase, unless they have previously declared their intention to become citizens of the United States. And to hold the land those who have declared that intention must become citizens. Further, no corporation, more than 20 per cent of whose stock is held by aliens, can take title to real estate in Missouri.

But aliens who inherit Missouri land, or who are given it by will, can own it, subject to the same rights and liabilities as they would be subject to if they were citizens.

All these provisions are expressly made subordinate to any treaty rights of aliens to hold or dispose of lands in the United States.

Japan's specified objection to California's proposition is that it would forbid land ownership by those who are "ineligible to citizenship." That would bar the Japanese, while it would not bar Europeans.

However, while the language of the Missouri statute is different, the effect seems to be the same, as far as the rights of Japanese are involved. Since one who may become a citizen may purchase land, Europeans who are eligible to citizenship may purchase land by becoming citizens. And since one who may not become a citizen may not purchase land, so Japanese, who may not become citizens, even though they desire citizenship, may not purchase Missouri land.

If the proposed California law is correctly understood here, there is only the difference between it and the Missouri law that the California bill does not exclude aliens eligible to citizenship who still do not become citizens. Changing the California proposition to conform to the Missouri model would not save to the Japanese any more rights than has been proposed. It would, however, make Europeans in California shift their legal patriotism and in that way "save Japan's face."—Kansas City Star.

Our Barnard Agent.

J. E. Stewart is our Barnard agent, and will be glad to receive your subscription to either The Daily or Weekly Democrat-Forum.

Mother's Prayer.

Giver of every perfect good,
O, Father who hast granted me
The holy joy of motherhood,
Thrilled with high hope I kneel to thee.
Wisdom and intuition grant
To understand this son of mine
Aright; to see his every want;
To know my work accords with thine.
Father, I fain would build for him
A body filled with nature's force,
Perfect in contour, poise and limb,
And healthy through a long life's course.
Lord, help me, make me patient, strong
To guide his untried childish feet
Away from paths of baleful wrong;
To hold his confidence complete.
So that when first he leaves my side
No habit that my little son
In shame from me would try to hide
May say away the good begun.
Help Me, O, God, to make his worth
All that today I hope and plan—
The highest, noblest thing of earth
That of an honorable man!
—John E. Dolson, in "The Mother's Magazine" for April.

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A DETROIT ELECTRIC.

Barmann Auto Co. Sells Fine Machine to Mrs. R. F. Hamblin—A Ford to George Herren.

Mrs. R. F. Hamblin purchased a Detroit Electric automobile from the Barmann Auto Co. of this city, and the car arrived Saturday. It is a five-passenger car and is the latest model and make. It is one of the finest machines in the county. R. L. Ledterman of the Kansas City headquarters, came to Maryville with the car.

Other sales reported by The Barmann Auto Co. are: George Herren of this city, a Ford car; Sam Wright, a Richmond; E. A. Daken, a Ford; Alfred McNeal, a Ford, and Mutti & Brown of Hopkins, four Fords.

G. A. R. STATE ENCAMPMENT.

To Be Held in St. Joseph on May 14 and 15—Many Old Soldiers From Nodaway Will Attend.

The 32d state G. A. R. encampment, department of Missouri, will be held at St. Joseph on May 14-15. Reunion of the 25th, 43d and 44th Missouri regiments will be held during the encampment.

A general invitation is extended to all old soldiers and their friends to attend this encampment. Comrades from Missouri, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska will assemble there, and many will meet for the first time since the close of the civil war. Camp fires will be held, automobile rides and other attractions will be offered. Many old soldiers in Nodaway county will probably attend.

RAINFALL 2.47 INCHES.

The Rains of Saturday and Sunday Amounted to That Much—Means a Great Deal to Farmers.

The rainfall of Saturday and Sunday and up to 7 o'clock Monday morning, amounted to 2.47 inches, according to Weather Observer Brink. It has revived the wheat and grass crops and growing gardens. The rain was worth a million dollars to the farmers of this county, according to an estimate of one farmer.

SIMPSON STARS AT COLUMBIA.

Bosworth Athlete Who Broke Four Records Here Was Individual Star At Columbia Saturday.

Robert Simpson, the Bosworth high school athlete, who was the sensation of the track meet here April 26, was also the individual star of the annual high school day track meet which was held Saturday at Columbia under the auspices of the University of Missouri. Simpson scored two firsts and a second for a total of 13 points, which placed Bosworth fifth. The meet was won by Manual Training high school of Kansas City with 39½ points.

The Bosworth twinkler high jumped 5 feet, 9½ inches, beating the record just one inch, which was made by the great Nicholson of Olympic fame, when he was a student of McKinley high school of St. Louis. This mark was 3¼ inches better than Simpson made here. He also broke the running broad jump record with a leap of 22 feet 3¾ inches, which is 1 foot 2½ inches better than he made in the local meet. Simpson scored his other three points in the 100-yard dash. He led the field until within two feet of the tape, when he was passed by Schwabe of Columbia.

PROMISING MISSOURI CROPS.

Wheat Condition Is 98—Corn Plowing and Planting Ahead of Last Year.

Missouri will harvest 36 million bushels of wheat or more, this year, compared with 21½ million bushels last year, if present prospects are maintained. The May crop report, published Saturday, makes the winter wheat condition 98, compared with 96.6 a month ago and 65 a year ago. A condition of 193 is reported in the northwest part of the state, 100 in the central, 98 in the northeast and southwest, 93 in the southeast. Only slightly more than 1 per cent of the 2,023,000 acres sown last fall were abandoned, mainly owing to overflows. Chinch bugs are reported in the western border counties.

The probable corn area is 7,611,000 acres, practically the same as last year. Forty-eight per cent of the corn area is plowed, 14 per cent planted. These compare with 2 and 3.5 per cent a year ago, and a 10-year average of 35 per cent planted May 1.

Of the oats crop 96 per cent had been sedded by May 1. This is a 10 per cent better showing than a year ago, but is behind the 10-year average. The acreage is 920,000 acres, 3 per cent less than last year.

Clover condition is 97 as compared with 73 one year ago. Timothy 94, compared with 86; alfalfa 94, compared with 74. It is estimated that 18 per cent of last year's hay crop is still on the farms.

The fruit outlook is fine, except for Ben Davis and a few other apples. Peach prospects continue exceedingly promising. The condition of general fruit crop is 95; peaches 94.

Live stock came through the winter in much better shape than usual, but there is a decided decrease in numbers as compared with normal.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

To Meet Wednesday.

The meeting of the Monday afternoon auction bridge club has been postponed to Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. J. F. Colby will be hostess.

Post-Graduate Recital.

Miss Eleanor Smith, a post-graduate of the Conservatory of Music, will present her graduating program Monday night at the Conservatory Recital hall.

Economics Department Meeting.

The last meeting of the economics department of the Twentieth Century club will be held Tuesday afternoon at the Elk's club. All new members are cordially invited.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the music department of the Twentieth Century club, which was to have been held Monday afternoon, has been postponed to Friday afternoon, May 16, when Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend will be hostess.

Married by Judge Conn.

A double marriage was performed Sunday morning at 10 o'clock by Probate Judge Conn, the couples being Ethel Brummitt and Joseph H. Deshazer, and Emma L. Deshazer and Chester A. Ballew, all from Parneil. The wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilson on the Baker farm east of town, Mrs. Wilson being a sister of Miss Deshazer and Joseph Deshazer.

Club Met Last Week.

The Dew Drop Inn club met at the home of Mrs. Fletcher Dalbey, Wednesday afternoon. The time was spent socially. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. Those present were Mrs. John Sprague, Mrs. Claude Moore and son Kermit, Mrs. E. A. Baker and the hostess and small daughter Dorothy. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. O. E. Jones. Current events will be discussed and each member is to have a memory gem.

Met With Mrs. Collins.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First M. E. church met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Roy Collins. Miss Carrie Margaret Baker was leader and Miss Mary Q. Evans gave the review of the text book study. Interesting papers were read by Mrs. Charles Thorpe, Miss Gladys Ford and Miss Anna Englemann. Miss Annetta Lorance and Miss Ruth Matter assisted the hostess in serving refreshments during the social hour. A delightful musical program was rendered by Mrs. Thorpe, Mrs. George Eaton, Miss Amy Clark and Rev. Gilbert Cox.

To Club Meeting In Columbia.

The fifth biennial and fifteenth meeting of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in Columbia, and about 300 delegates are expected to attend. The Maryville delegates, Mrs. D. J. Thomas and Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, representing the Twentieth Century club, and Mrs. C. B. Roberts from the M. I. Circle, will leave Tuesday morning for Columbia. Mrs. Thomas is on Wednesday's program for two vocal selections, "Sunset," by Dudley Buck, and "Still As the Night," by Carl Bohm, and Mrs. Townsend will be her accompanist.

Miss Emberson to Wed.

The engagement of Miss Agnes Emberson, daughter of Prof. R. H. Emberson of the State University at Columbia, to Carl Filler of Mt. Vernon, Mo., was announced Friday at a party in Columbia. Misses Myrtle Eckles and Bessie Brown of this city, who are attending the university, were in attendance at the party. The wedding is to take place the first week in June and they will reside near Winfield, Mo., where Mr. Filler is now managing a farm. Prof. Emberson was formerly in the Northwest Normal school in Maryville, and his daughter, Miss Emberson, is favorably known in this city.

Entertains the D. A. R.

Miss Donna Sisson was hostess Saturday afternoon to the members of the D. A. R. chapter. The Sisson home was artistically decorated in flags and lilacs. After the business meeting a vocal solo was rendered by Miss Mae Corwin, and Miss Allie Fraser gave an instrumental selection. Miss Cecile Benight read an interesting article from the American Magazine on "The Old Trails Road as Proposed by the D. A. R. as a National Ocean-to-Ocean Highway." One new member, Mrs. D. E. Mills of Chicago, was taken in the chapter. Mrs. Mills is at present visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Embree, living west of Maryville. During the social hour the hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be June 14 when Flag Day will be observed at the home of Miss Allie Fraser, she and Miss Brownie Toel being the hostesses.

Gave a Kensington.

Miss Mae Orear entertained with a Kensington Saturday afternoon at her home on West Lincoln street. Luncheon was served in the dining room, Mrs. J. F. Colby presiding at the tea table, in the center of which was a Japanese vase filled with lilacs. A brief musicale followed, Miss Alice Porter, the new instructor at the Conservatory of Music, and Miss Orear giving several instrumental selections. The guests were Mrs. Charles Bellows, Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. J. F. Colby, Mrs. M. Nusbaum, Mrs. John Herren, Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Mrs. V. I. Moore, Mrs. Edward Townsend, Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Miss Clara Bellows, Misses Allie and Bertha Beal, Miss Alice Porter and Miss Elizabeth Turner.

Mothers' Club Meeting at Pickering.

The Mothers' club of Pickering met at the home of Mrs. Roland Wray Friday afternoon with a good attendance. The members answered to roll call by telling the difference between the housekeeper and homemaker. The club decided to furnish lawn tennis and basket ball for the young people this summer, the tennis court to be in the school house yard. Owing to the amount of business on hand, the study was dispensed with. A program consisting of a reading, "The Stragglers," by Miss Alfrieda Ducker, a vocal duet by Misses Josie and Stella Wilson and a recitation, "Papa's Letter," by Miss Maybelle Clayton was given. Dnring the social hour the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Roy Wolfers and the Misses Ducker, Wilson and Clayton, served refreshments. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. John McGuire, with Mrs. Henry Rutherford as leader. The subject will be "The Modern Woman." Mrs. Grant McMillan will give a tea Tuesday afternoon, May 13, from 1 to 4 o'clock, for the club members and their friends.

HAD A BIG TIME.

About Forty from Maryville Attended the K. C. Initiation in St. Joseph on Sunday.

A big time was had by the Maryville men who went to St. Joseph Sunday to attend the joint initation of St. Joseph and Maryville councils of the Knights of Columbus. There were seventeen candidates from this city who took the work, and the others in the party were members of the local council. The work was given by State Deputy King of St. Louis, with the Kansas City team.

A banquet was given after the lodge work at the Robidoux hotel Sunday evening. Prof. John Davis of Elmo made a talk in behalf of the Maryville order.

The following are those who took the work at St. Joseph:

Paul Basford, Will Blatter, Paul Cook, J. J. Davis, Wm. Doffing, John Kirch, Lawrence Lattin, Joseph W. Linneman, Frank A. Schumacher, Jos. A. L. Gram, Will and Ed Linneman, Frank Merscher, Peter Myers, Jerry Vaughn, Bert Hiatt, of this city, and Dan Felix of Clyde.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Esther Lasley Brings Suit Against Clarence Lasley, Charging Abandonment.

A divorce suit was filed in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office Monday by Cook, Cummins & Dawson for Esther Lasley versus Clarence Lasley. It will come up at the June term of circuit court. The petition states that they were married December 27, 1910, and lived together until July, 1911. Abandonment and refusing to support plaintiff are the grounds for her divorce.

Goes to South America.

Theo. Dunn of Great Falls, Mont., who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Saunders, and other relatives, left Monday morning for Waukegan, Ill., where he will spend two weeks with his father, Prof. B. A. Dunn, a former resident of Maryville. Mr. Dunn will sail May 26 for Chile, South America, where he has accepted a position as mining engineer.

Guests at Beattie Home.

Mr. H. B. Emmert and Mr. D. A. Rankin, both of Tarkio, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murrell L. Beattie.

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Chronic Diseases. Eye Diseases
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Gasoline and Oil Stoves
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Hudson & Welch
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Superior Service—Unexcelled Facilities—Honest Charges—Satisfaction Assured.
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Electric Repair Shop
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I couldn't make a deal with any large wool house, but still I want to buy your
"WOOL"
We buy at all times at highest market value, Hides, Furs, Wool, Poultry, Eggs, Sheep Pelts, Tallow, Grease, Beeswax, Feathers, Junk, and Cream. At this season of the year we are especially desirous of obtaining fresh Eggs for storage.
P. S.—A word about Cream. We buy more cream than any station in northern Missouri. There Must be a Reason. Better try us with your next can and see.
Bell 311.
Farmers 194.
Hanamo 221.
CHAS. JENSEN
In Maryville, that's all.

AUTHOR IS IN ST. JOSEPH.

George Luther Burr Trying to Interest Commerce Club of That City in His Work.

The following is from today's St. Joseph Gazette:

George Luther Burr, a former resident of Maryville, is in St. Joseph in the interest of a song he wrote several months ago and which is entitled "Mary Villemo," a coined word taking in the two names, Maryville, Mo. Maryville thus gains the distinction of being the only city in the United States which has its entire name set to music.

Burr intends to have printed on a postal card one verse of his song, above which is to be a boost for Missouri farm land and an invitation to persons from other states to make their homes here. On the other side of the card will be printed a description of Missouri.

The writer hopes to interest the Commerce club in this venture and to enlist its aid in having the cards made.

Burr is a former newspaper man, and a writer of short stories, having been employed for several years on the St. Paul Pioneer Press and Dispatch.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—18,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 3,000.
Hogs—40,000. Market dull; top, $8.60. Estimate tomorrow, 14,000.
Sheep—25,000. Market 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—7,000. Market strong.
Hogs—8,000. Market strong; top, $8.37.
Sheep—9,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market slow.
Hogs—4,800. Market slow; top, $8.40.
Sheep—5,000. Market slow.

Land Sales by Rhodes-Wray.

The Rhodes-Wray land company reported the following sales:

George Fred Davis of Hopkins buys the Eugene Ogden farm two miles southeast of Maryville. It contains 210 acres, and the consideration was $21,000. Possession will be given March 1, 1914. James Murray, who came to the county about three years ago from Iowa, purchased 160 acres two miles north of Mt. Ayr, Ia. The consideration was $20,000. He gets possession of this farm next March.

Plants
Best variety of tomato, cabbage, celery and bedding flower plants.
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City Greenhouses.
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Alma M. Nash's Ladies Orchestra
Is prepared to furnish music for all occasions. Out of town engagements for church and school entertainments especially solicited. For terms address Alma M. Nash, 201 West Second street.

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West Third Street
Have your old shoes look like new. Let the man who knows how do your repair work. Only first class work done or no charge.
McIntire's
Goodyear Quality Boot Shop
West Third Street. Hanamo phone 420
Just east of Alderman's.

Quality Shop
West Third Street,
For Wall Paper. Borders same prices as walls and ceilings. Painting and paper hanging. E. J. THORNTON,
Hanamo phone 420.

FARMERS' MUTUAL INS. CO.
Write insurance only on farm property and less than ½ of rate of old line companies. See B. C. HALL,
Farmers' phone. Maryville.

Feed and Seed Prices that ought to Attract Attention

Cane Seed, bu..... $1.00
German Millett, bu..... $1.25
Kaffir Corn, bu..... $1.00
Clay Mix Cow Peas, bu..... $2.75
Whipporwill Cow Peas, bu..... $3.00
New Early Cow Peas, bu..... $3.00
Rape Seed, bu..... $5.00
Seed Corn, all kinds, per bushel, from ..... $1.50 to $3.00
Red Clover Seed..... $12.50 to $15.00
Alfalfa Seed, bu..... $10.00
Alsyke Seed, bu..... $10.00
Timothy Seed, from. $1.50 to $1.75
Blue Grass Seed..... $2.00
Garden Seeds of all kinds in bulk.
A car of Shorts and Bran to arrive this week. Will sell—
500 lbs Bran..... $5.00
500 lbs Shorts..... $5.50
500 lbs Oil Meal..... $8.00
500 lbs Swift's 60 per cent Digestive Tankage $11.00
500 lbs Alfalmo $6.00
500 lbs Alfalfa Meal..... $6.00
We carry a good supply of Hay and Straw of all kinds which we will deliver to you in bales, tons or car load lots at the lowest prices.
When you want Hen or Chick Feeds we certainly have got them.
Mixed Hen Food, 100 lbs $1.75 to $2.00
Mixed Chick Food, 100 lbs, $1.75 to $2.00
Plenty of Meat Scraps, Blood Meal, Meat Meal, Oyster Shell, Mica Grit, Crystal Grit, Pearl Grit, Chicken Coops, Drinking Fountains, Self-Feeders, in fact everything for the poultry yard.

R. S. BRANIGER
The Feed and Storage Man.
East Side Square.

Lower Prices
All Along the Line.

Good welcome news to those who have been paying the grocery bills during the reign of high values.

Our prices are corrected daily and are right every time. Read the special list we have

For Tuesday's Selling:

5c Pkgs. Best Laundry (lump) Starch, 8 for 25c
Case of two dozen for..... 70c
35c Comet Blend Fine Roasted Coffee, now 25c
5c Electric Spark White Laundry Soap (wonderfully good article), 8 bars for 25c
Our Special Extract Lemon or Vanilla, 2-oz. 10c bottles for..... 5c
4-oz. 15c bottles 2 for..... 15c
8-oz. 15c bottles 2 for..... 25c
Pint 50c bottles 2 for..... 65c
Sugar Cured Picnic Hams, lb... 13½c
Splendid Country Bacon, per lb... 16c
12 Cans Choice Wisconsin Peas.... 95c
5 lbs. Best Navy Beans..... 25c
Bedford Creamery Butter..... 33c

* 300 Extra Large Size Pineapples, *
* Strictly A-1 Quality, 10c Each. *

Thin Skinned Juicy Lemons (good size), per dozen 28c
15c Mothers Wheat Hearts, pkg... 10c
25c Pkg. Whole Wheat Flour..... 20c
25c Pkg. Quaker Rolled Oats for.. 18c
No. 10 Box Sunshine Soda Crackers, 65c
25c Cans Kansas City Baking Powder, each 15c
10c Cans Kansas City Baking Powder, 4 for 25c
Skinner's Macaroni of Spaghetti, 4 pkgs. for 30c
2-lb. Pail Cottolene 25c
Crisco for Frying, Shortening or Cake Making; 25c can..... 23c
50c can 45c
$1.00 can 85c
Quaker Brand Corn Meal, Scotch Oats, Hominy Grits, Pearl Hominy and Cracked Wheat, all you wish at per pkg. 5c
Choice Lot Seed Potatoes, bu., 60 to 75c
Garden Seeds (good assortment), 5 pkgs. for 5c
Campbell's Soups, 4 cans for..... 30c
Campbell's 15c Cans Pork and Beans for 10c
Gallon Cans Black Raspberries (solid pack) 55c
Gallon Cans White Table Cherries (in syrup) 55c
Gallon Cans Table Apricots (sliced, in syrup) 55c
Gallon Cans Lemon Cling Sliced Table Peaches 55c
25c Star Brand Coffee, 1-lb. packages now 20c
2-lb. Cans Blackberries, 2 for..... 15c
Fancy Cream Flour (our name on the sack), cwt. $2.15
Per sack $1.10

Correct prices on Fresh Fruit, Berries, Green Vegetables, etc.

The Townsend Co.
The Only Large Exclusive Cash Store in Northwest Missouri.

AUCTION

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Tomorrow

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Best varieties transplanted 15c per doz.
Potted 25c per doz.

All vegetable plants in season.

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Miss Elizabeth Sobbing, accompanied by Miss Beatrice Sewell, went to her home in Hopkins Friday night for a few days' visit.

HOUSE TARIFF BILL TO STAND

Wilson and Leaders Want It to Go to Senate Complete.

LIKELY TO PASS WEDNESDAY.

Determined Effort on Democratic Side to Place Cattle, Sheep and Hogs on Free List—Want Bill Revised in House.

Washington, May 5.—The Underwood tariff revision bill is expected to pass this week from its scene of rushed consideration in the house to be weighed in the steady balance of senate deliberations. It probably will be passed in the house not later than Wednesday night, just as it came from the ways and means committee, with free raw wool, free sugar in three years, its income tax, free meat, free flour and slashing reductions in live stock and manufactured articles.

If President Wilson proposes to ask congress for currency legislation at the extra session he has not yet made any definite suggestion relating to it, but the house leaders will learn before many days his plans in that regard.

It is an open secret that the president, the finance committee of the senate and the ways and means committee of the house have had an understanding that the bill should be revised in all essential particulars in the house, if there are to be any changes, but whether this agreement can be maintained remains to be seen.

The sugar schedule with its immediate 25 per cent reduction and free sugar in three years is almost certain to remain as it is. Wool might come out eventually with a slight duty.

There is a determined minority on the Democratic side demanding that cattle, sheep and hogs should be put on the free list along with food products.

SHE FOUGHT THROUGH WAR

Served Three Years in Union Army in Disguise of a Man.

Quincy, Ill., May 5.—The identity of the sex of Albert D. Cashier, civil war veteran and an inmate of the soldiers' and sailors' home here, was revealed by Colonel J. O. Anderson, superintendent of the home, to be feminine.

That the woman, whose real name probably never will be known, because recently she became demented, served three years in the union army during the civil war, is shown by records. She was mustered out of the service in 1865 and a few years later was placed on the government pension roll.

The revelation of the identity of her sex was made two years ago in Livingston county, Illinois, where she was employed as a chauffeur. One day the chauffeur crawled under the car, which started suddenly, and the wheels of the car passed over, breaking her right leg. When she was taken to a hospital it was discovered she was a woman.

TEXAS GIRL'S FACE WILL BE POPULAR.

New York, May 5.—Miss Evelina James of San Antonio, Tex., an art student here, is receiving the congratulations of her friends, as she is the girl whose portrait is likely to become more popular than any other. It is safe to say her picture will be in every American home. It will appear exclusively on Uncle Sam's paper money.

PRIEST TO LEAD SOLDIERS

Chihuahua Pastor Offers to Command Force Against the Rebels.

El Paso, Tex., May 5.—Father Felix Barranda, parish priest of Guerrero, Chihuahua, is to lead a group of federal troops in the campaign against the constitutionalists of northern Mexico. Like Hidalgo, the Mexican priest-patriot of a century ago, this modern day militant minister will give up the spiritual battle for actual warfare.

"I am exchanging the cassock for the sword," he wrote General Rabago, military governor of Chihuahua. "Having been marked for death by the revolutionists, I offer my service, promising to raise a force of 200 men loyal to the government."

General Rabago accepted the offer, commissioning the priest to raise a volunteer corps.

Norsemen to Celebrate Centennial.

Minneapolis, May 5.—Initial steps for a national celebration by Norwegian Americans of the 100th anniversary of the independence of Norway, to take place at the Minnesota state fair grounds for three days of the week of May 17, 1914, were taken at a meeting of fifty representative Norwegian business and professional men here.

United States Gunboat to Haiti.

Washington, May 5.—To be on hand for any possible contingencies in connection with the accession of a new president of Haiti, the gunboat Nashville, one of the naval watchdogs of the West Indies, sailed from San Domingo City for Port au Prince. The gunboat was ordered to the Haitien capital upon the announcement of President Augustes' death.

ELISHA LEE.

Chairman of Conference of Managers of Forty-three Eastern Railroads.

SCUTARI EVACUATED BY MONTENEGRO

Cabinet Quits in Protest Against Policy of Submission.

Wiesbaden, Germany, May 5.—Emperor William received a dispatch while attending the opera saying that Scutari had been evacuated by Montenegro.

London, May 5.—A Cettinje dispatch to a London news agency says that the Montenegrin cabinet has resigned as a protest against the policy of evacuating Scutari. King Nicholas has accepted the resignation of the cabinet.

Cettinje, May 5.—A special meeting of the skupstina on May 8 has been summoned by royal decree to deal with the difficult foreign situation. King Nicholas summoned all his generals to a council of war. The majority decided on the evacuation of Scutari. Therefore, the prospect of a peaceful solution is brighter.

ADOPTS COMMISSION PLAN

Portland, Ore., at Special Charter Election, Votes in New Form.

Portland, Ore., March 5.—The rechecking of the returns on the vote cast at the special charter election showed that the commission form of government had been adopted in Portland.

The enactment of the new charter automatically abolished the primary nominations for all offices, the choice prescribed being a non-partisan preferential election for mayor, auditor and four commissioners who are elected from candidates each nominated by a petition of at least 1% voters. This election will be held in June.

Pie Seekers Drive McCombs to Europe

New York, May 5.—Chairman McCombs, who sailed for Europe to escape insistent officeseekers, announced that he will continue his law practice upon his return.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League.	W.	L.	P.	American League.	W.	L.	P.
Chicago	13	7	650	Phila	12	3	800
Phila	8	4	667	Cleveland	13	6	684
Brooklyn	7	7	563	Wash.	10	4	714
St. Louis	11	8	579	Chicago	13	9	591
New York	8	7	533	Boston	7	10	412
Pittsb'gh	10	9	533	St. Louis	9	12	439
Boston	4	11	267	Detroit	6	14	300
Cincinnati	4	14	222	New York	2	14	125
Western League.							
Denver	13	1	929	Soo City	6	7	462
Lincoln	9	5	643	Des M's	5	8	385
St. Joe	9	5	643	Topeka	4	10	286
Omaha	7	7	500	Wichita	2	12	143

BASEBALL SCORES

American League.

At Chicago: R.H.E.
Detroit .....0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 8 0
Chicago .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 6 2
Dubuc-Stanage; White-Easterly.

At St. Louis: R.H.E.
Cleveland .....1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3 9 3
St. Louis.....2 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 *—4 5 1
Steen-Land; Baumgartner-Agnew.

National League.

At Cincinnati: R.H.E.
Pittsburgh .....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 1 0
Cincinnati .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 1
Adams-Kelly; Fromme-Clarke.

At Chicago: R.H.E.
St. Louis....000 000 026 000 2—10 20 0
Chicago ....310 000 112 000 0— 8 12 2
Perritt-McLean; Richie-Archer.

Western League.

At Omaha: R.H.E.
Omaha .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—2 6 2
St. Joseph ....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 8 1
Hicks-Johnson; Crutcher-Ketter.

At Denver: R.H.E.
Denver .....1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 *—2 4 0
Lincoln .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 0
Hagerman-Spahr; Edman-Baker.

At Topeka: R.H.E.
Topeka .....2 1 0 0 1 0 2 0 *—6 11 0
Wichita .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 1
Reynolds-McAllister; Wacob-Huston

The Weather.

Cloudy and cooler.

JAPAN HOLDS U. S. AT FAULT

Tokyo Cables Minister at Washington to Make Protest.

CALL "FAILURE OF DIPLOMACY"

United States Government's Efforts to Solve California Problem Criticised. Leaders of Public Opinion Advise Maintaining Calmness.

San Francisco, May 5.—A cablegram from Tokyo to the Japanese American, a Japanese daily of this city, states that the Japanese government cabled instructions to Baron Chinda, Japanese ambassador at Washington, to make formal protest against the alien land bill enacted by the California legislature and now awaiting Governor Johnson's signature. The message adds that the position taken by the Japanese government is that the United States government is responsible for the finding of a satisfactory solution of the situation in California under its treaty obligations to Japan.

Describing the receipt of news from Sacramento that the bill had passed both houses of the legislature, the message says: "When the Japanese people received the report that the alien land law had passed the California legislature, all the people were deeply disappointed."

Appreciates Wilson's Efforts.

Tokyo, May 5.—The Japanese press expressed a general appreciation of the efforts of President Wilson in behalf of a land bill in California that would be unobjectionable to the Japanese. Leaders of public opinion in Japan are advising that an attitude of calmness be maintained in the present situation.

While the Japanese newspapers voice these same sentiments, they blame the government for what they term a failure of diplomacy."

Bryan Leaves for Washington.

Sacramento, Cal., May 5.—Defeated finally in his diplomatic effort to dissuade the California legislature from enacting an alien land law affecting the Japanese, Secretary of State Bryan declared that he looked to the people of the state to express a final judgment through the referendum before the act shall go into effect.

Mr. Bryan's statement was made before an open joint meeting of the senate and assembly, immediately before his departure for Washington. The assembly, which was even then in the midst of its debate on the land bill passed by the senate, paused for half an hour to hear him and then took up its work of following the senate's lead.

The bill passed the assembly and Governor Johnson has promised to wait a reasonable time before signing it.

Apparently the only contingency that can arise to prevent the carrying out of the bill's provisions within approximately ninety days is the threatened referendum petition, which would require 20,000 signatures before the law could be temporarily nullified, pending an election. The matter could not be submitted to the people until the fall of 1914, a delay of nineteen months, in case the proposed referendum petition gains enough signers.

THREE LEAP TO DEATH

Four Jump From a Bridge Before Approaching Train.

Akron, O., May 5.—Three men were killed and a boy, the son of one of them, was seriously injured when they leaped from a trestle at Thompson's crossing, two miles north of here, to escape an approaching train. They were dead when picked up from the river bottom, 150 feet below. The dead are: Thomas Brown, Akron; William Sabin, Litchfield, O., and Albert Schmidt, Lima, O.

Leo Brown, fourteen years old, son of Thomas Brown, fell on soft earth and escaped with serious injuries. The party was returning from a fishing trip on a handcar when they saw the train, a special on the Northern Ohio railroad, apporaching as they went out on the long trestle. Believing their only way to escape lay in jumping, they leaped and were killed.

Jack Johnson Faces Trial.

Chicago, May 5.—Jack Johnson, the negro champion pugilist, was placed on trial in the United States court today, charged with violating the Mann act. Seven indictments have been returned by grand juries against Johnson, the last being voted less than a week ago. Johnson was put on trial on the indictment charging him with transporting Belle Schrieber from Pittsburgh to Chicago in October, 1910.

Hillsmen Kill Two Marshals.

Pikeville, Ky., May 5.—Two deputy United States marshals were killed and another perhaps fatally shot by a gang of negro moonshiners near Blue Hedge, Ky., who fired upon the officers from ambush. The bodies of the dead, John Sloan and Marion Ramey of Elkhorn, Ky., and the wounded man, Mart Potter of Pikeville, were brought into Pikeville.

Japanese Aviator Killed.

San Francisco, May 5.—Tonko Takoishi, a Japanese aviator, who was trained in the United States, was instantly killed while making a landing of a flight from Osaka to Kioto, Japan, according to a cablegram received here

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1 ply Certain-teed, per roll, 108 square feet 1.10
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R. C. Benight of St. Joseph spent Sunday in Maryville with his family.

Miss Gladys Collins left Sunday morning for Jaunita, Wyo., where she will teach a summer term in a school near there. Miss Ruth Ramey of Arkoe accompanied her and will remain in Wyoming for the summer.

SPECIAL NOTICE

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160 acres of land, 2½ miles south and ½ mile west of Maryville. Another 160 acres 3 miles west and 1½ miles south of Maryville, also 10 acres of timber 6 miles south and 1 mile west of Maryville, and town property on 1222 East Third street, house and 2 lots. These are all well improved.

ED MYERS, Administrator

For particulars call phone 45-17 or see me at the farm south of town on route No. 4.

Free Sewer Connections

The City Council at a meeting April 14th passed an ordinance granting free sewer connections for six months from date of passage.

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From 4 to 20 years old, weighing from 1100 to a ton. I buy every day in the year, and pay the high dollar. Show me your horses first, then sell to the high bidder. Remember the first look to me will make you money. Maryville every Saturday.

Jim Andy Ford

BARTOW S. WEEKS.

His Nomination to Supreme Court Bench Of N. Y. Is Confirmed.

Bartow Sumter Weeks was born in Round Hill, Conn., in 1861. He is a graduate of Columbia college law school and was seven years assistant district attorney of New York county. The state senate without a dissenting vote approved the bestowal of his latest honor.

POLICE AND MOB FIGHT IN LONDON

Wild Disorder Follows Attempt to Prevent Speeches.

London, May 5.—Wild scenes of disorder occurred at the demonstration in Trafalgar square under the auspices of the Free Speech Defense committee. The police tried to prevent speeches from the Whitehall side of the Nelson column and only the intervention of James Kier Hardie, Socialist and Independent Labor member of the house of commons, who was chairman of the meeting, prevented a serious riot.

As it was, the disorders, many times culminating in fisticuffs between the police and the crowd, continued for almost two hours.

LYMAN ABBOTT IS REMOVED

Peace Society Objects to His Favoring Large Naval Budget.

St. Louis, May 5.—Dr. Lyman Abbott of New York was removed from the list of vice presidents of the American Peace society because he signed the appeal of the Navy league for large naval appropriations.

Objection to the name of Dr. Abbott among the list of vice presidents was made by Charles E. Beals of Chicago, secretary of the Chicago Peace society. Mr. Beals also objected to the report of the nominating committee, expressing the opinion that the committee seemed to think the western boundary of the United States was at Buffalo.

ANTIS BELITTLE PARADE

Declare Suffragists Exaggerate the Number of Marchers.

New York, May 5.—While suffragists announced that more than 20,000 persons had marched in the woman's suffrage parade on Fifth avenue, and some independent estimates exceeded the 20,000 mark, representatives of the national association opposed to woman suffrage gave out a statement declaring that by actual count 9,613 persons including children, policemen and members of bands in the procession, constituted the marching force.

Important French Naval Secret Out.

Toulon, France, May 5.—There is consternation in naval circles here over the publication of a foreign review of the full technical details of an invention to which the greatest importance attaches. A prominent naval officer had been engaged in perfecting the invention here in secret. It is said that the leaking out of the secret coincides with the stay of a foreign officer in Toulon. The maritime perfect has ordered a strict investigation.

Attacks Grand Duke With Knife.

Mannheim, Germany, May 5.—A workman armed with a knife attacked Grand Duke Frederick of Baden as he was leaving the railroad station with his consort. The grand duke threw off his assailant and was not harmed. A crowd gathered and attacked the man, intending to lynch him, but the police arrested him. He gave his name as Anton Jung and said he is an anarchist and had been commissioned by a society to attack the grand duke.

Public School Damaged by Suffragettes

Aberdeen, May 5.—One of the public schools of this city was partly burned by militant suffragettes. The damage amounted to $2,500. A large quantity of suffrage literature was found scattered about the building.

COAL LAND DEEDED BACK TO GOVERNMENT

Suit Against Colorado Fuel Company Settled by Compromise.

Denver, May 3.—Coal land involving 3,400 acres and valued at $1,000,000 was surrendered to the United States government by the Colorado Fuel and Iron company in consideration of dismissal of a suit involving 5,800 acres owned by the company. The land is located in southern Colorado.

The future entry on the land will be permitted under the regulations and prices recently fixed.

The settlement was arranged through negotiations between United States District Attorney H. E. Kelly, Assistant Attorney General Frederick Maynard, M. D. McEniry, chief of the field service of the general land office, and officials of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company.

The land, which is located in Las Animas county, originally was taken up as agricultural land by George W. Benedict and Elisha P. Lee. It was filed on under the law that permits owners of forest land to return it to the government and receive in return agricultural land. Subsequently the land was turned over to the fuel company. The government's complaint against the company was that the entrants to the land knew they were getting valuable coal property.

For four years the company has fought the case through the interior department, where it secured a favorable decision. Subsequently suit was started by the government in the federal court to refute the company's contention that the ruling of the secretary of the interior was final. New evidence was introduced and settlement resulted from negotiations that have been in progress several months.

On the Job.

By James A. Edgerton.

The man who wins is the man who works.

He has his mind and his whole being concentrated on the task in hand.

He is on the job.

He finds out everything about it of which his mind is capable—knows it down to the grass roots.

He gives it his whole attention.

A man cannot watch his work and watch the clock.

He cannot go to sleep at the switch.

He cannot have a divided allegiance.

He who thinks his work is not worthy of him is not worthy of his work.

Any work well done is worthy of him to whom that work is given.

By measuring up to it he will measure beyond it to something bigger. By doing the smaller task well he invites the larger task.

To climb a stair we must first take the bottom step.

If we despise the lower steps too much to put our feet on them how can we reach to the higher steps?

The office boy who studies the business and is keenly alive to the firm's interests will not long remain an office boy.

Such a boy says "we" when speaking of the concern that employs him. He is a part of the machine and as important in his place as the president of the company.

He may not own a share of stock, but he invests his mind and energy, and these are worth more than money.

The key word of this age is efficiency.

The ability to do something is the ability to be somebody.

We are measured by what we produce.

If you have no money to invest in a business, invest your brains, your interest, your loyalty and your energy. These things have a greater purchasing power than dollars because they make dollars.

To say that one is efficient is but another way to say that he is on the job. The slang phrase may not be so elegant, but it is more forceful and more nearly fits the idea.

Invest yourself and you will draw interest on your investment.

Improve the quality of your product and your product will improve your situation.

The man who is not on the job will soon be out of a job.

Favorite Fiction.

From the Chicago Tribune.

"One More Drink Won't Hurt You, Old Chap."

"Asylum for the Oppressed of All Nations."

"Gentlemen, It Gives Me Great Pleasure to Respond to This Toast."

"I Just Won't Apologize to Him! I'll Die First!"

"Miss Euphemia, I'm Sure We Shall All Be Charmed to Hear You Recite a Selection."

"Why, Mamma, He Didn't Stay Later Than 11 o'Clock."

Picked Up Drunk Man.

Sheriff Ed Wallace was called to three miles east of Maryville on Sunday, as there was a drunk man in that neighborhood. He gave his name as Claud Cotton and living near Glulford. After sobering up, Cotton was turned loose.

BEN LINDSEY.

His Work as Judge In Denver Has Attracted International Attention.

As the presiding magistrate in the famous children's court in his home city Judge Lindsey has become a world wide celebrity. He was the founder of the big brother movement, whose aim is to see that every boy and young man "gets a chance." He is now in the east in the interest of his work.

CRYING FOR HELP.

Lots of It in Maryville But Daily Growing Less.

The kidneys often cry for help.

Not another organ in the whole body more delicately constructed;

Not one more important to health.

The kidneys are the filters of the blood.

When they fail the blood becomes foul and poisonous.

There can be no health where there is poisoned blood.

Backache is one of the frequent indications of kidney trouble.

It is often the kidneys' cry for help Heed it.

Read what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for overworked kidneys.

Read what Doan's have done for Maryville people.

L. M. Wood, 708 East Jenkins street, Maryville, Mo., says: "I got Doan's Kidney Pills from Love & Gaugh's drug store and I well remember the relief they gave me from lumbago and other symptoms of kidney trouble. I gladly endorse them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.—Advertisement.

Miss Clara Crawford, the Latin instructor of the high school, is entertaining her mother, Mrs. R. H. Dacot of Clarksdale, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Christy.

NEWTON GIRL.

Pale, Run-down, Aneamic—Restored to Health by Vinol.

Miss Katharine Burns of Newton, Mass., says: "About six months ago I was in a run-down condition and my blood was very poor. I had taken several medicines prescribed by physicians, but they seemed to do me no good. Finally Vinol was recommended and from the first bottle I noticed a great improvement. I have taken six bottles and I fell strong and as well as ever."—Katharine Burns.

Vinol is the greatest body builder and strength creator we know of—the curative elements of the cod's liver, aided by the blood-making, strength-gaining properties of tonic iron contained in Vinol, restore the lacking ingredients to the blood, and the result is health, strength and vigor.

If you need building up try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you.—Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

Attorney T. A. Cummins returned Monday from a visit at Omaha.

QUICKLY ENDS INDIGESTION AND STOMACH MISERY.

Many Women Advise Husbands to Cure Stomach Troubles With MI-O-NA.

Women know how careless men usually are in regard to stomach distress. They go on suffering from day to day when a simple treatment of MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets will banish dyspesia in a few days; many times in a few hours.

Madam: Look after your husband's health; if he is distressed after eating, has heavy feeling, gas, etc., get a 50c cent box of MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets today. They surely are the finest remedy for indigestion money can buy and Orear-Henry Drug Co. know it, for they say "Money back if they aren't just splendid." Trial treatment from Booth's MI-O-NA, Buffalo, N. Y. —Advertisement.

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HOTCHKIN'S Variety Store

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

S. C. R. I. Reds—Eggs for setting 50c per setting; $3 per 100.
MRS. S. E. FISHER,
Farmers phone 11-22. R. F. D. No. 6

FOR SALE—**Fawn and White Indian Runner Duck** eggs, 75c per thirteen **White Wyandotte** eggs, 50c a setting
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Phone 21-19. Maryville, Mo.

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WM. C. GREENELSH.

Single Comb Brown Leghorns, exclusively. Quality and laying qualities unsurpassed. **Eggs $1 per 15; $5 per 100. Mrs. Chas. H. Rice Maryville, Mo. Phone No. 40-20 from Maryville, No. 28-05 from Barnard.**

S. C. R. I. REDS—Eggs for setting, 50c per setting; $3.00 per 100. MRS. J. A. CLARK, R. F. D. 3, Maryville Mo. Farmers phone No. 37-13.

Eggs for hatching from pure Fawn and White first prize winning Indian Runner Ducks. 13 pure white eggs, fresh from pen, $1.50. These eggs are from crosses between the well known Pfile and Shoemaker pens of Freeport, Ill. Mrs. F. M. Kinsella, 830 So. Fillmore street, Maryville, Mo.

Pure Bred Barred Rocks—Large boned, narrow, distinct barring, and have the Barred Rock shape. Fresh eggs 4 cents each delivered anywhere in Maryville, Mo
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COLUMBUS

(49510)

The Percheron bred horse is a black with long star, weighs about 1,800 pounds, foaled May 21, 1905. Was sired by Clay Center (44686) first dam Helen (48614). For further reference to breeding call for pedigree.

Helen (48614) the dam of Columbus (49510) was bought by the agricultural college of Lansing, Mich., at a long price and has since proven to be a very valuable mare. She weighs 2,000 pounds and has quality and moves like a Coach horse. Clay Center, the sire of Columbus, is one of the leading sires in Illinois and weighs 2,150.

Columbus has great style and action, with the best of legs, hocks and eyes. He has proven to be one of the best sires, one of his colts weighing 900 pounds at six months, and selling for $150, and yearling fillies selling for $175 each.

Columbus will make the season of 1913 at my farm, three-quarters of a mile southwest of Wilcox, at $12.50 to insure colt to stand and suck. Mares parted with or moved from neighborhood money becomes due. Colts stand for service fee until same is paid. Care will be taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur.

For any information or dates of service telephone me 12-15 at Maryville or write me at Wilcox.

JAS. M. VERT
Owner and Keeper

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany orders for these small amounts.

FOR RENT—A five-room house for rent with half acre of ground, corner of South Vine and Grant Sts.

TAKE THAT OLD lawn mower to the foundry. They will make it cut like a new one. 21-tf

LOST—My pocketbook at the Burlington Tuesday morning. My name was in the book.—Lon Fordyce. 29-tf

FOR SALE—Full set carpenter tools of the late John W. Snapp.—Mrs. John W. Snapp, 408 East 7th, Bell 414. 5-7

FOR SALE—A nice young bunch of Angora goats. W. A. Gorton, Farmers phone 10-12, R. F. D. 1, Pickering. 7-6

FOR SALE—15 eggs for 50c, S. C. R. I. Reds. Bell phone, 536. Mrs. J. C. Archer, 935 South Walnut. 5-7

TO GIVE AWAY—
300 yards dirt, for the hauling.—L. R. Holt. 5-7

FOR RENT—Pasture for 4 or 5 head of cows.—Peter Behm, No. 5 northeast corner of city. Farmers phone, 2-19. 3-6

FOR SALE—R. C. R. I. RED chickens, 2 to 3 weeks old, $2.40 a dozen. Dick Viles, 6th and Dewey Sts., Maryville. 3-9

LOST—May 2, Black Jacket, three-quarter length; whipcord cloth. Reward. Finder call 13-13 Farmers phone, Graham. Mrs. J. Ralph Pope, Skidmore, Mo. 2-4

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Modern 8 room house in western part of city, practically new and up-to-date, owner wants to sell at once. It takes only $1700 to carry this, balance time. Price $4750.00.

7 room house, two lots, good barn, on paved street. Price $3200.00.

A 5-acre tract, good house and barn and fruit, just outside city, $2600.00.

A 6 room house, good barn, hen house, coal house, well and cistern, cement walks, corner lot, six blocks of court house, worth two thousand, but if taken in ten days will let go at $1600.00.

120 acres good unimproved land, five miles of Maryville, at $65.00 per acre. Will carry $3600.00, at 5 per cent; balance cash.

Trades.

4 resident vacant lots with mortgage of $600.00 at 6 per cent, want to trade equity for most anything in the way of stock, auto or any saleable property.

A modern brick four apartment flat in Kansas City, Mo., to exchange for Nodaway county land, or Maryville income property. Rents for $140.00 per month.

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ROAD FUNDS GROWING

Automobile Tax Piling Up Money—Biggest Balance in Treasury May 1 in History of the State.

We are printing this week our last digest of the new laws passed by the 47th general assembly and are giving some instances of how these laws and new departments under them are working to the advantage of the people.

Automobile Fund Growing.

The number of registered owners of motor vehicles in Missouri is growing by leaps and bounds. Secretary of State Cornelius Roach reports that up to date the 1913 registrations, since February 1st, have reached 24,894. This is 515 more machines for the past three months than were registered during the entire twelve months of the 1912 registration period. The receipts for 1912 registrations, up to May 1st of that year, were $78,809.50, while the receipts this year, for the corresponding time, amount to $116,982.50 or an increase for the first three months of the annual period of $38,173.00. All fees received for the registration of motor vehicles are deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the state good roads fund.

Give New Laws a Trial.

And now it's the Full Crew Bill that is to be submitted to the referendum test. Along with half dozen other new laws, this measure does not please everybody and it, too is threatened with the referendum in order to suspend its operations for a couple of years. Would it not be well enough to give the new laws a chance to make good? Give them a trial and if found to be bad laws the legislature can repeal them two years hence. It would be the part of wisdom to give a measure a working chance before condemning it.

Clothing to Be Cheaper.

Under the new tariff measure, clothing will be cheaper. You will be able to buy a ready-made suit from $2 to $6 cheaper this fall than last fall. That ought to help reduce the high cost of living a trifle.

Minimum Light Charge Illegal.

E. J. Bean, attorney for the Utility commission, holds an opinion that patrons of electric light companies can not be compelled to pay $1 or any other fixed charge for services unless their meter shows they used that amount. It is the universal custom almost of electric concerns to collect $1 a month provided the toll by kilowatt hour does not exceed that sum. This opinion was based upon a recent decision of the supreme court.

Corporations Pay the Freight.

Jack Blanton says in his Monroe County Appeal that the utilities commission touched a big corporation for $16,744 the third day it was in existence and is going to be self-supporting. State Treasurer Deal has gathered in $100,000 more for the use of public funds than has heretofore been paid. Secretary of State Roach is getting returns from the $120,000 additional tax from a new levy on Missouri corporations. Auditor Gordon is going to save the state something like a quarter of a million dollars through his new system of auditing accounts. Never in all its history has Missouri's affairs been so efficiently administered as under the present administration. More money will be available for schools, more money will be available for roads, more privileges will be enjoyed by the private citizen and more restraint thrown around corporate greed than ever before. Best of all, state taxes will not be increased to the extent of a single penny. And all these good things were authorized and made possible by a Democratic legislature.

Good Law for Railroaders.

Railroad men everywhere will appreciate the bill introduced into the legislature by Mr. Correll of Randolph county to prevent the use of dangerous and defective locomotive engines and to otherwise provide for the health and safety of railroad employes. It prohibits the use of any locomotive that is not equipped with elastic springs of sufficient strength to support the cab, fire-box, boiler, etc., in such a manner that they may not come in contact with the truck or trailer box, and that such springs shall be of sufficient strength to prevent the shock occasioned by the running of a locomotive over irregularities in the track from being communicated to the occupant of the cab. It is a well established fact that constant jolting in a locomotive cab has been very injurious to the trainmen and a number of serious diseases, common among engineers and firemen, have been traced directly to this cause. The same law provides for better heating equipment for the cab, better protection from inclement weather and other health and safety of the brave fellows who operate our trains.

Country Banks Can Handle State Funds.

The action of the recent Missouri legislature in enacting house bill 590 into a law not only makes it possible for small banks all over Missouri to handle some share of the state funds, but likewise authorizes the treasurer to accept approved real estate mortgages as security. Heretofore the law has required him to let the money be bid off by twentieths. This made it possible, of course, for only a few of the bigger banking institutions to get a share of these deposits. In the course of time it might have been expected these few banks pooled their interests and offered a much less rate than had previously been paid and much less also than the treasurer had a right to expect. At the suggestion of State Treasurer E. P. Deal, a bill authorizing him to divide the funds into eighty equal parts was introduced by Mr. Barbee of Saline and promptly passed by both houses. This new law not only puts a part of this big fund in reach of the average country bank, but will so stimulate competition among them that a much more favorable rate of interest than could otherwise be expected will be obtained. In this connection the farmers of Missouri will be interested in the fact that mortgages on their real estate will now be put on the same footing as the bonds of the government, state or city, and will be accepted as security for such funds as may be deposited in a bank which proves to be a successful bidder.

Drainage Department Active.

John H. Nolen, land reclamation commissioner, is actively at work upon plans to protect a half million acres of Southeast Missouri land from overflows. Mr. Nolen has just perfected arrangements for the organization of the second largest drainage dstrict in the United tSates. Preliminaries for the organization were threshed out at Sikeston last week. The plan of landowners is to build a continuous levee from Commerce, in Scott county, south along the Mississippi river to the Arkansas line for the protection of 500,000 acres of land located in Scott, Mississippi and New Madrid counties. It is believed that the major portion, if not all, the cost of this levee will be paid for by the Mississippi River commission out of the funds appropriated by congress for river improvement. The land owners will construct the necessary internal levees, ditches and floodways to drain the land. The total cost of levees, ditches, floodways and other works will amount to not more than $2,500,000, of which amount about $1,225,000 will be expended for levee building. Mr. Nolen is thus early giving evidence of the usefulness of the department created by the recent legislature that will look after the drainage districts and sections subject to overflows.

Big Balance On Hand.

State Treasurer E. P. Deal found the biggest balance in the treasury when he closed that department for the month of April that ever was in the treasury in the history of the state. The balance reached the very large figures of $6,222,000. It would have been about $7,000,000 had not the large amount been paid out under the general appropriation bill which Governor Major signed on April 23. The governor vetoed enough items in the general appropriation bill to bring the state out on the right side of the ledger at the close of the biennial period, January 1, 1915. About a quarter of a million got the pruning knife direct, as much more will be held up and probably a half millon appropriated will not be used, thus insuring the treasury against a possible deficit.

To Be Held Tuesday Night.

The rural commencement exercises of Lincoln township, which was to have been held Saturday night at Elmo, was postponed until Tuesday night. The exercises were put off on account of the rain Saturday. They will be held at the Elmo opera house, and the address of the evening will be given by County Superintendent Oakerson.

FOR TRACK MEET

ELEVEN EVENTS ANNOUNCED WITH TWO PRIZES EACH.

TAKES PLACE MAY 17

Events Are for Boys and Girls of Grades in Polk Township—Literary Exercises at Empire.

The list of events for the track meet for the rural pupils of Polk township, to be given Saturday afternoon, May 17, on Main street in front of the court house, was announced Monday. The track meet will be given in connection with the rural commencement exercises to be held that afternoon at Empire theater. All pupils of the rural schools are cordially invited to take part in these contests.

The following are the officers in charge:

Miss Golda Roach, president; Miss Mary Fordyce, secretary; Miss Grace Fisher, treasurer; Prof. V. I. Moore, referee; Prof. H. P. Swinehart, starter; L. M. Eek, announcer, and Homer Neff and Cordon Vickery, judges.

The following is the list of events:

50-yard dash—For pupils of grades 5 and 6. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Sack race—For pupils of grades 2, 3 and 4. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Ball throwing contest—For girls of grades 6, 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash—For girls of grades 1, 2 and 3. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash and return—For boys of grades 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash—For boys of grades 1, 2 and 3. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash—For boys of grades 4, 5 and 6. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

50-yard dash—For girls of grades 4, 5 and 6. First prze, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Hop, step and jump—For boys of grades 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Running flat jump—For boys of grades 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

Driving contest—For girls of grades 7 and 8. First prize, $1; second prize, 50 cents.

TO MAKE TESTS.

Boards of Public Works to Find Out if L. J. Mensch's Plans Are Practical.

The board of public works decided to make some tests of L. J. Mensch's plan for repairing the water tower before they will go ahead and give him the contract for the work. This was decided at a conference held Saturday night by the board and Mr. Mensch. The tests will be made by City Engineer Flynt, under the direction of Mr. Mensch.

The question in the minds of the local officials is whether a foundation for the proposed cement support structure under the tank might not affect the whole structure. The weight weight bearing qualities of the ground and the question of possible settling of the structure are to be determined. Mr. Mensch proposes to place six feet of concrete over the whole area of thirty-four feet in diameter.

Mr. Mensch is after the work of repairing the water tower. His bid was $4,120.

TEACHERS SELECTED.

Parnell School Board Saturday Employed Teachers for Next Year.

The teachers for the Parnell school were selected by the school board at a meeting at that town on Saturday night. Prof. Wm. H. Allen, the new principal of the school and who will succeed J. P. Cummings, comes from Columbia. The other teachers are: Miss Nellie Hayworth, grammar; Miss Helen Waske, intermediate, and Miss Angie Waldeier, primary. Miss Waske is a new teacher for the school.

MADE PRESIDENT

HONOR FOR PROF. E. L. HARRINGTON AT COLUMBIA.

CAMERON ON COUNCIL

Two Maryville Men Recognized at Missouri State Science and Mathematics Association Meeting.

Prof. E. L. Harrington, head of the science department of the Northwest Normal, was elected president of the Missouri State Science and Mathematics Association at the regular semi-annual meeting of the association, which was held in Columbia Friday and Saturday, May 2 and 3. Prof. John E. Cameron of the Normal agricultural department, was appointed as a member of the executive council of the association. Mr. Harrington, who was formerly chairman of the science

PROF. E. L. HARRINGTON.

teachers' division of the association, is an ex-officio member of the executive council.

Prof. Cameron delivered an illustrated lecture on "Agriculture in the Schools" before the association Saturday morning, which proved to be one of the most interesting features of the meeting.

Professors Cameron and Harrington and Dean George H. Colbert, who was also in Columbia attending a conference of the representatives of the Normal schools of the state, returned Monday morning.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

The Clearmont Graduating Class Have Their Exercises This Week.

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Clearmont high school was preached at the Baptist church in that town on Sunday by Rev. R. E. Snodgrass.

The commencement exercises wil be held on next Thursday evening, May 8, and will take place in the Baptist church. The graduating class of the Clearmont school is composed of Lulu May Dew, Edward R. Smith and M. Alma Turpen. The following is the program:

Chorus—"Forget Me Not".....Geise
Invocation.....Rev. C. H. Owens
Solo—"In the Garden of My Heart"
.....Blanche Wallace
Reading—"The Schoolmaster's Guests"
.....Lulu May Dew
Solo—"Home, Dearie, Home".....
.....Edward R. Smith
High School Prophecy.....
.....M. Alma Turpen
Duet—"Sing Me to Sleep".....
...Mrs. R. B. Stewart, Charles Smith
Address.....Rev. R. R. Moser
Presentation of diplomas.
Benediction.....Rev. C. H. Owens

Rev. Morser is the M. E. pastor at Mamilla, Ia. He was formerly located at Blanchard, Ia.

Left for North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Strawbridge left Sunday evening for Stanton, N. Dak., where they will spend several months with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Strawbridge. Mr. Strawbridge has a farm near Stanton.

AFTER GOV. JOHNSON.

California Governor to Be Secured if Possible—Good Chance to Get LaFollette.

Prof. P. O. Landon received a letter Monday from the private secretary of Governor Hiram Johnson of California, stating that the governor may be able to come to Maryville to appear at the chautauqua, but as the governor was so busy with the California legislature at the present time that no definite announcement could be made. Mr. Landon was advised to take the matter up with Gov. Johnson about the middle of June.

Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin will also probably be an attraction at the chautauqua. Prof. Landon will know definitely in a few days or so.

2 WOOD, 97 CEMENT

THE KIND OF CULVERTS THEY BUILD IN UNION.

BEST ROADS IN COUNTY

So Says the County Surveyor, Who Has Just Made a Trip of Inspection In That Township.

County Surveyor Joseph Reese has been making an inspection of the road work done in Union township and the value of the work estimated so as a requisition can be made on the state for a like amount. Mr. Reese has been practically over two-thirds of the township and it is probable that $9,000 has been spent on road improvement work. That amount will be asked for from the state by the Union township board through the county court, which will be in session this week.

The Union township road bond issue is for $15,000 and a like amount will be received from the state. But it is necessary to have the work done before the money can be secured from the state.

Mr. Reese went over all the roads in about two-thirds of the territory of that township. He saw only two wooden culverts in that part of the township, and there were 97 cement culverts.

Mr. Reese said, in speaking of the road work in Union:

"There are probably some hills that should be cut down a little more and some fills that should be filled up more, but on an average on the trip I made, the roads are in excellent condition and Union will have the best system of roads of any township in the county. They are doing good work up there and it will be known as the banner good roads township."

A Mule Was Killed.

In the rainstorm of Friday night, D. D. McDermitt, living east of town, lost a mule, having been struck by lightning.

BRYAN AND JOHNSON.

Secretary of State and California's Governor In Contrasting Moods.

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Both the distinguished gentlemen felt in better spirits before they conferred about the proposed anti-alien land owners' law in California than they did afterward, as will be noted in their varying expressions.

BOARD SELECTED

COUNTY COURT APPOINTED HIGHWAY BOARD MEMBERS.

TO SELECT ROADS SOON

John Clary and E. H. Bainum of Maryville and S. H. Conlin of Barnard Are the Members.

E. H. Bainum, trustee of Polk township, Sam H. Conlin of Barnard and John Clary, county highway engineer, were selected Monday afternoon by the county court as the county highway board, and they will hold their officers for a term of two years and shall serve without compensation. The board is to meet within ten days at Maryville and organize by electing a chairman and a secretary of the board.

The purpose of the county highway board is to select the most practical road from Maryville to the county seat of each adjoining county in the state. A road will also be selected from Maryville to the state line with the view of connecting with the county seat or other large town or city in the border county adjoining the state. The state highway engineer will work in conjunction with the county board.

The county highway board, after selecting the roads, shall let by contract and have dragged county seat highway in the county and for the purpose of dragging the road or the betterment of the road, $15 per annum for each mile is given. The money will come from the state treasury on the certificate of the county highway board and the state highway engineer, and will be payable monthly.

The board shall not pay over 75 cents a mile for each dragging with a standard four-horse drag, not less than eight feet long. The board is limited to dragging road not to exceed two-thirds of the annual appropriation per mile in any six months.

The board is also authorized to receive and expend upon the county highway road any sums of money that may be appropriated or donated by the county or the citizens.

GIVEN HEAVY SENTENCE.

Thomas Ross for Shoplifting Received $100 Fine and Three Months—Buck Hudgens, $5 and Costs.

The city police court nowadays is a busy place. And of course, Monday is a good day. Today, Thomas Ross, who was charged with shoplifting, having taken two pairs of pants from the Corwin-Murrin clothing company, the pants being valued at $10, received a fine of $100 and a jail sentence of three months from Mayor Arthur Robey. Ross was given on Friday a fine of $20 and costs for being drunk, and added onto this sentence of Monday, he will be a city boarder for some time. His partner, John Hays, was not tried on the shoplifting charge, as there was no evidence against him.

Charles Kinder pleaded guilty to being drunk and was fined $5 and costs.

Buck Hudgens pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace and received $5 and costs. Hudgens had somewhat of a narrow escape from being shot, from what we heard today. It is said that Hudgens insulted the daughter of Oliver Vance, the colored porter at the Oak, and the young lady went into the house and got her father's gun, and fired two shots at Hudgens. Hudgens was seen soon after at the depot by Oliver and somewhat of a beating was administered to him.

Was Buried Sunday.

The remains of Mrs. N. A. Kavanaugh were buried Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Miriam cemetery in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. Burial was to have taken place Saturday afternoon, but owing to the heavy rain that afternoon, the body was placed in the vault at the cemetery.

THE WEATHER

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Missouri's Alien Land Law.

Concerning the proposed alien land laws of California, to which Japan objects, Governor Johnson has said that what California desires is such control of its land ownership as several other states have, among them Missouri.

The existing Missouri Alien Land Law was enacted in 1895. It forbids aliens (citizens of a foreign country) to acquire land in Missouri by purchase, unless they have previously declared their intention to become citizens of the United States. And to hold the land those who have declared that intention must become citizens. Further, no corporation, more than 20 per cent of whose stock is held by aliens, can take title to real estate in Missouri.

But aliens who inherit Missouri land, or who are given it by will, can own it, subject to the same rights and liabilities as they would be subject to if they were citizens.

All these provisions are expressly made subordinate to any treaty rights of aliens to hold or dispose of lands in the United States.

Japan's specified objection to California's proposition is that it would forbid land ownership by those who are "ineligible to citizenship." That would bar the Japanese, while it would not bar Europeans.

However, while the language of the Missouri statute is different, the effect seems to be the same, as far as the rights of Japanese are involved. Since one who may become a citizen may purchase land, Europeans who are eligible to citizenship may purchase land by becoming citizens. And since one who may not become a citizen may not purchase land, so Japanese, who may not become citizens, even though they desire citizenship, may not purchase Missouri land.

If the proposed California law is correctly understood here, there is only the difference between it and the Missouri law that the California bill does not exclude aliens eligible to citizenship who still do not become citizens. Changing the California proposition to conform to the Missouri model would not save to the Japanese any more rights than has been proposed. It would, however, make Europeans in California shift their legal patriotism and in that way "save Japan's face."—Kansas City Star.

Our Barnard Agent.

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Mother's Prayer.

Giver of every perfect good,
O, Father who hast granted me
The holy joy of motherhood,
Thrilled with high hope I kneel to thee.
Wisdom and intuition grant
To understand this son of mine
Aright; to see his every want;
To know my work accords with thine.
Father, I fain would build for him
A body filled with nature's force,
Perfect in contour, poise and limb,
And healthy through a long life's course.
Lord, help me, make me patient, strong
To guide his untried childish feet
Away from paths of baleful wrong;
To hold his confidence complete.
So that when first he leaves my side
No habit that my little son
In shame from me would try to hide
May say away the good begun.
Help Me, O, God, to make his worth
All that today I hope and plan—
The highest, noblest thing of earth
That of an honorable man!

—John E. Dolson, in "The Mother's Magazine" for April.

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A DETROIT ELECTRIC.

Barmann Auto Co. Sells Fine Machine to Mrs. R. F. Hamblin—A Ford to George Herren.

Mrs. R. F. Hamblin purchased a Detroit Electric automobile from the Barmann Auto Co. of this city, and the car arrived Saturday. It is a five-passenger car and is the latest model and make. It is one of the finest machines in the county. R. L. Ledterman of the Kansas City headquarters, came to Maryville with the car.

Other sales reported by The Barmann Auto Co. are: George Herren of this city, a Ford car; Sam Wright, a Richmond; E. A. Daken, a Ford; Alfred McNeal, a Ford, and Mutti & Brown of Hopkins, four Fords.

G. A. R. STATE ENCAMPMENT.

To Be Held in St. Joseph on May 14 and 15—Many Old Soldiers From Nodaway Will Attend.

The 32d state G. A. R. encampment, department of Missouri, will be held at St. Joseph on May 14-15. Reunion of the 25th, 43d and 44th Missouri regiments will be held during the encampment.

A general invitation is extended to all old soldiers and their friends to attend this encampment. Comrades from Missouri, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska will assemble there, and many will meet for the first time since the close of the civil war. Camp fires will be held, automobile rides and other attractions will be offered. Many old soldiers in Nodaway county will probably attend.

RAINFALL 2.47 INCHES.

The Rains of Saturday and Sunday Amounted to That Much—Means a Great Deal to Farmers.

The rainfall of Saturday and Sunday and up to 7 o'clock Monday morning, amounted to 2.47 inches, according to Weather Observer Brink. It has revived the wheat and grass crops and growing gardens. The rain was worth a million dollars to the farmers of this county, according to an estimate of one farmer.

SIMPSON STARS AT COLUMBIA.

Bosworth Athlete Who Broke Four Records Here Was Individual Star At Columbia Saturday.

Robert Simpson, the Bosworth high school athlete, who was the sensation of the track meet here April 26, was also the individual star of the annual high school day track meet which was held Saturday at Columbia under the auspices of the University of Missouri. Simpson scored two firsts and a second for a total of 13 points, which placed Bosworth fifth. The meet was won by Manual Training high school of Kansas City with 39½ points.

The Bosworth twinkler high jumped 5 feet, 9½ inches, beating the record just one inch, which was made by the great Nicholson of Olympic fame, when he was a student of McKinley high school of St. Louis. This mark was 3¼ inches better than Simpson made here. He also broke the running broad jump record with a leap of 22 feet 3¾ inches, which is 1 foot 2½ inches better than he made in the local meet. Simpson scored his other three points in the 100-yard dash. He led the field until within two feet of the tape, when he was passed by Schwabe of Columbia.

PROMISING MISSOURI CROPS.

Wheat Condition Is 98—Corn Plowing and Planting Ahead of Last Year.

Missouri will harvest 36 million bushels of wheat or more, this year, compared with 21½ million bushels last year, if present prospects are maintained. The May crop report, published Saturday, makes the winter wheat condition 98, compared with 96.6 a month ago and 65 a year ago. A condition of 193 is reported in the northwest part of the state, 100 in the central, 98 in the northeast and southwest, 93 in the southeast. Only slightly more than 1 per cent of the 2,023,000 acres sown last fall were abandoned, mainly owing to overflows. Chinch bugs are reported in the western border counties.

The probable corn area is 7,611,000 acres, practically the same as last year. Forty-eight per cent of the corn area is plowed, 14 per cent planted. These compare with 2 and 3.5 per cent a year ago, and a 10-year average of 35 per cent planted May 1.

Of the oats crop 96 per cent had been sedded by May 1. This is a 10 per cent better showing than a year ago, but is behind the 10-year average. The acreage is 920,000 acres, 3 per cent less than last year.

Clover condition is 97 as compared with 73 one year ago. Timothy 94, compared with 86; alfalfa 94, compared with 74. It is estimated that 18 per cent of last year's hay crop is still on the farms.

The fruit outlook is fine, except for Ben Davis and a few other apples. Peach prospects continue exceedingly promising. The condition of general fruit crop is 95; peaches 94.

Live stock came through the winter in much better shape than usual, but there is a decided decrease in numbers as compared with normal.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

To Meet Wednesday.

The meeting of the Monday afternoon auction bridge club has been postponed to Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. J. F. Colby will be hostess.

Post-Graduate Recital.

Miss Eleanor Smith, a post-graduate of the Conservatory of Music, will present her graduating program Monday night at the Conservatory Recital hall.

Economics Department Meeting.

The last meeting of the economics department of the Twentieth Century club will be held Tuesday afternoon at the Elk's club. All new members are cordially invited.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the music department of the Twentieth Century club, which was to have been held Monday afternoon, has been postponed to Friday afternoon, May 16, when Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend will be hostess.

Married by Judge Conn.

A double marriage was performed Sunday morning at 10 o'clock by Probate Judge Conn, the couples being Ethel Brummitt and Joseph H. Deshazer, and Emma L. Deshazer and Chester A. Ballew, all from Parneil. The wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilson on the Baker farm east of town, Mrs. Wilson being a sister of Miss Deshazer and Joseph Deshazer.

Club Met Last Week.

The Dew Drop Inn club met at the home of Mrs. Fletcher Dalbey, Wednesday afternoon. The time was spent socially. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess. Those present were Mrs. John Sprague, Mrs. Claude Moore and son Kermit, Mrs. E. A. Baker and the hostess and small daughter Dorothy. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. O. E. Jones. Current events will be discussed and each member is to have a memory gem.

Met With Mrs. Collins.

The Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First M. E. church met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Roy Collins. Miss Carrie Margaret Baker was leader and Miss Mary Q. Evans gave the review of the text book study. Interesting papers were read by Mrs. Charles Thorpe, Miss Gladys Ford and Miss Anna Englemann. Miss Annetta Lorance and Miss Ruth Matter assisted the hostess in serving refreshments during the social hour. A delightful musical program was rendered by Mrs. Thorpe, Mrs. George Eaton, Miss Amy Clark and Rev. Gilbert Cox.

To Club Meeting In Columbia.

The fifth biennial and fifteenth meeting of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in Columbia, and about 300 delegates are expected to attend. The Maryville delegates, Mrs. D. J. Thomas and Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend, representing the Twentieth Century club, and Mrs. C. B. Roberts from the M. I. Circle, will leave Tuesday morning for Columbia. Mrs. Thomas is on Wednesday's program for two vocal selections, "Sunset," by Dudley Buck, and "Still As the Night," by Carl Bohm, and Mrs. Townsend will be her accompanist.

Miss Emberson to Wed.

The engagement of Miss Agnes Emberson, daughter of Prof. R. H. Emberson of the State University at Columbia, to Carl Filler of Mt. Vernon, Mo., was announced Friday at a party in Columbia. Misses Myrtle Eckles and Bessie Brown of this city, who are attending the university, were in attendance at the party. The wedding is to take piace the first week in June and they will reside near Winfield, Mo., where Mr. Filler is now managing a farm. Prof. Emberson was formerly in the Northwest Normal school in Maryville, and his daughter, Miss Emberson, is favorably known in this city.

Entertains the D. A. R.

Miss Donna Sisson was hostess Saturday afternoon to the members of the D. A. R. chapter. The Sisson home was artistically decorated in flags and lilacs. After the business meeting a vocal solo was rendered by Miss Mae Corwin, and Miss Allie Fraser gave an instrumental selection. Miss Cecile Benight read an interesting article from the American Magazine on "The Old Trails Road as Proposed by the D. A. R. as a National Ocean-to-Ocean Highway." One new member, Mrs. D. E. Mills of Chicago, was taken in the chapter. Mrs. Mills is at present visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Embree, living west of Maryville. During the social hour the hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be June 14 when Flag Day will be observed at the home of Miss Allie Fraser, she and Miss Brownie Toel being the hostesses.

Gave a Kensington.

Miss Mae Orear entertained with a Kensington Saturday afternoon at her home on West Lincoln street. Luncheon was served in the dining room, Mrs. J. F. Colby presiding at the tea table, in the center of which was a Japanese vase filled with lilacs. A brief musicale followed, Miss Alice Porter, the new instructor at the Conservatory of Music, and Miss Orear giving several instrumental selections. The guests were Mrs. Charles Bellows, Mrs. M. G. Tate, Mrs. J. F. Colby, Mrs. M. Nusbaum, Mrs. John Herren, Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Mrs. V. I. Moore, Mrs. Edward Townsend, Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Miss Clara Bellows, Misses Allie and Bertha Beal, Miss Alice Porter and Miss Elizabeth Turner.

Mothers' Club Meeting at Pickering.

The Mothers' club of Pickering met at the home of Mrs. Roland Wray Friday afternoon with a good attendance The members answered to roll call by telling the difference between the housekeeper and homemaker. The club decided to furnish lawn tennis and basket ball for the young people this summer, the tennis court to be in the school house yard. Owing to the amount of business on hand, the study was dispensed with. A program consisting of a reading, "The Stragglers," by Miss Alfrieda Dueker, a vocal duet by Misses Josie and Stella Wilson and a recitation, "Papa's Letter," by Miss Maybelle Clayton was given. Dnring the social hour the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Roy Wolfers and the Misses Dueker, Wilson and Clayton, served refreshments. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. John McGuire, with Mrs. Henry Rutherford as leader. The subject will be "The Modern Woman." Mrs. Grant McMillan will give a tea Tuesday afternoon, May 13, from 1 to 4 o'clock, for the club members and their friends.

HAD A BIG TIME.

About Forty from Maryville Attended the K. C. Initiation in St. Joseph on Sunday.

A big time was had by the Maryville men who went to St. Joseph Sunday to attend the joint initation of St. Joseph and Maryville councils of the Knights of Columbus. There were seventeen candidates from this city who took the work, and the others in the party were members of the local council. The work was given by State Deputy King of St. Louis, with the Kansas City team.

A banquet was given after the lodge work at the Robidoux hotel Sunday evening. Prof. John Davis of Elmo made a talk in behalf of the Maryville order.

The following are those who took the work at St. Joseph:

Paul Basford, Will Blatter, Paul Cook, J. J. Davis, Wm. Doffing, John Kirch, Lawrence Lattin, Joseph W. Linneman, Frank A. Schumacher, Jos. A. L. Gram, Will and Ed Linneman, Frank Merscher, Peter Myers, Jerry Vaughn, Bert Hiatt, of this city, and Dan Felix of Clyde.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Esther Lasley Brings Suit Against Clarence Lasley, Charging Abandonment.

A divorce suit was filed in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office Monday by Cook, Cummins & Dawson for Esther Lasley versus Clarence Lasley. It will come up at the June term of circuit court. The petition states that they were married December 27, 1910, and lived together until July, 1911. Abandonment and refusing to support plaintiff are the grounds for her divorce.

Goes to South America.

Theo. Dunn of Great Falls, Mont., who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. G. L. Wilfley, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Saunders, and other relatives, left Monday morning for Waukegan, Ill., where he will spend two weeks with his father, Prof. B. A. Dunn, a former resident of Maryville. Mr. Dunn will sail May 26 for Chile, South America, where he has accepted a position as mining engineer.

Guests at Beattie Home.

Mr. H. B. Emmert and Mr. D. A. Rankin, both of Tarkio, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murrell L. Beattie.

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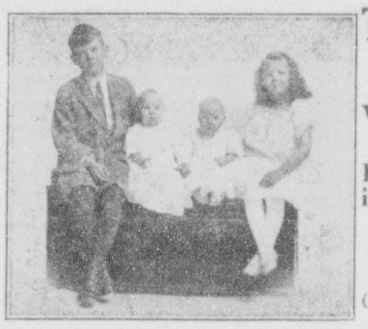

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AUTHOR IS IN ST. JOSEPH.

George Luther Burr Trying to Interest Commerce Club of That City in His Work.

The following is from today's St. Joseph Gazette:

George Luther Burr, a former resident of Maryville, is in St. Joseph in the interest of a song he wrote several months ago and which is entitled "Mary Villemo," a coined word taking in the two names, Maryville, Mo. Maryville thus gains the distinction of being the only city in the United States which has its entire name set to music.

Burr intends to have printed on a postal card one verse of his song, above which is to be a boost for Missouri farm land and an invitation to persons from other states to make their homes here. On the other side of the card will be printed a description of Missouri.

The writer hopes to interest the Commerce club in this venture and to enlist its aid in having the cards made.

Burr is a former newspaper man, and a writer of short stories, having been employed for several years on the St. Paul Pioneer Press and Dispatch.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—18,000. Market 10c higher. Estimate tomorrow, 3,000.
Hogs—40,000. Market dull; top, $8.60. Estimate tomorrow, 14,000.
Sheep—25,000. Market 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—7,000. Market strong.
Hogs—8,000. Market strong; top, $8.37.
Sheep—9,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market slow.
Hogs—4,800. Market slow; top, $8.40.
Sheep—5,000. Market slow.

Land Sales by Rhodes-Wray.

The Rhodes-Wray land company reported the following sales:

George Fred Davis of Hopkins buys the Eugene Ogden farm two miles southeast of Maryville. It contains 210 acres, and the consideration was $21,000. Possession will be given March 1, 1914. James Murray, who came to the county about three years ago from Iowa, purchased 160 acres two miles north of Mt. Ayr, Ia. The consideration was $20,000. He gets possession of this farm next March.

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Cane Seed, bu.....$1.00
German Millett, bu.....$1.25
Kaffir Corn, bu.....$1.00
Clay Mix Cow Peas, bu.....$2.75
Whipporwill Cow Peas, bu.....$3.00
New Early Cow Peas, bu.....$3.00
Rape Seed, bu.....$5.00
Seed Corn, all kinds, per bushel, from .....$1.50 to $3.00
Red Clover Seed....$12.50 to $15.00
Alfalfa Seed, bu.....$10.00
Alsyke Seed, bu.....$16.00
Timothy Seed, from. -1.50 to $1.75
Blue Grass Seed.....$2.00

Garden Seeds of all kinds in bulk.
A car of Shorts and Bran to arrive this week. Will sell—
500 lbs Bran.....$5.00
500 lbs Shorts.....$5.50
500 lbs Oil Meal.....$8.00
500 lbs Swift's 60 per cent Digestive Tankage $11.00
500 lbs Alfalmo $6.00
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Case of two dozen for.....70c
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5c Electric Spark White Laundry Soap (wonderfully good article), 8 bars for 25c
Our Special Extract Lemon or Vanilla, 2-oz. 10c bottles for..... 5c
4-oz. 15c bottles 2 for.....15c
8-oz. 15c bottles 2 for.....25c
Pint 50c bottles 2 for.....65c
Sugar Cured Picnic Hams, lb...13½c
Splendid Country Bacon, per lb...16c
12 Cans Choice Wisconsin Peas....95c
5 lbs. Best Navy Beans.....25c
Bedford Creamery Butter.....33c

* 300 Extra Large Size Pineapples, *
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Thin Skinned Juicy Lemons (good size), per dozen 28c
15c Mothers Wheat Hearts, pkg...10c
25c Pkg. Whole Wheat Flour.....20c
25c Pkg. Quaker Rolled Oats for..18c
No. 10 Box Sunshine Soda Crackers, 65c
25c Cans Kansas City Baking Powder, each 15c
10c Cans Kansas City Baking Powder, 4 for 25c
Skinner's Macaroni of Spaghetti, 4 pkgs. for 30c
2-lb. Pail Cottolene 25c
Crisco for Frying, Shortening or Cake Making; 25c can.....23c
50c can 45c
$1.00 can 85c
Quaker Brand Corn Meal, Scotch Oats, Hominy Grits, Pearl Hominy and Cracked Wheat, all you wish at per pkg. 5c
Choice Lot Seed Potatoes, bu., 60 to 75c
Garden Seeds (good assortment), 5 pkgs. for 5c
Campbell's Soups, 4 cans for.....30c
Campbell's 15c Cans Pork and Beans for 10c
Gallon Cans Black Raspberries (solid pack) 55c
Gallon Cans White Table Cherries (in syrup) 55c
Gallon Cans Table Apricots (sliced, in syrup) 55c
Gallon Cans Lemon Cling Sliced Table Peaches 55c
25c Star Brand Coffee, 1-lb. packages now 20c
2-lb. Cans Blackberries, 2 for.....15c
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Miss Elizabeth Sobbing, accompanied by Miss Beatrice Sewell, went to her home in Hopkins Friday night for a few days' visit.

HOUSE TARIFF BILL TO STAND

Wilson and Leaders Want it to Go to Senate Complete.

LIKELY TO PASS WEDNESDAY.

Determined Effort on Democratic Side to Place Cattle, Sheep and Hogs on Free List—Want Bill Revised in House.

Washington, May 5.—The Underwood tariff revision bill is expected to pass this week from its scene of rushed consideration in the house to be weighed in the steady balance of senate deliberations. It probably will be passed in the house not later than Wednesday night, just as it came from the ways and means committee, with free raw wool, free sugar in three years, its income tax, free meat, free flour and slashing reductions in live stock and manufactured articles.

If President Wilson proposes to ask congress for currency legislation at the extra session he has not yet made any definite suggestion relating to it, but the house leaders will learn before many days his plans in that regard.

It is an open secret that the president, the finance committee of the senate and the ways and means committee of the house have had an understanding that the bill should be revised in all essential particulars in the house, if there are to be any changes, but whether this agreement can be maintained remains to be seen.

The sugar schedule with its immediate 25 per cent reduction and free sugar in three years is almost certain to remain as it is. Wool might come out eventually with a slight duty.

There is a determined minority on the Democratic side demanding that cattle, sheep and hogs should be put on the free list along with food products.

SHE FOUGHT THROUGH WAR

Served Three Years in Union Army in Disguise of a Man.

Quincy, Ill., May 5.—The identity of the sex of Albert D. Cashier, civil war veteran and an inmate of the soldiers' and sailors' home here, was revealed by Colonel J. O. Anderson, superintendent of the home, to be feminine.

That the woman, whose real name probably never will be known, because recently she became demented, served three years in the union army during the civil war, is shown by records. She was mustered out of the service in 1865 and a few years later was placed on the government pension roll.

The revelation of the identity of her sex was made two years ago in Livingston county, Illinois, where she was employed as a chauffeur. One day the chauffeur crawled under the car, which started suddenly, and the wheels of the car passed over, breaking her right leg. When she was taken to a hospital it was discovered she was a woman.

TEXAS GIRL'S FACE WILL BE POPULAR.

New York, May 5.—Miss Evelina James of San Antonio, Tex., an art student here, is receiving the congratulations of her friends, as she is the girl whose portrait is likely to become more popular than any other. It is safe to say her picture will be in every American home. It will appear exclusively on Uncle Sam's paper money.

PRIEST TO LEAD SOLDIERS

Chihuahua Pastor Offers to Command Force Against the Rebels.

El Paso, Tex., May 5.—Father Felix Barranda, parish priest of Guerrero, Chihuahua, is to lead a group of federal troops in the campaign against the constitutionalists of northern Mexico. Like Hidalgo, the Mexican priest-patriot of a century ago, this modern day militant minister will give up the spiritual battle for actual warfare.

"I am exchanging the cassock for the sword," he wrote General Rabago, military governor of Chihuahua. "Having been marked for death by the revolutionists, I offer my service, promising to raise a force of 200 men loyal to the government."

General Rabago accepted the offer, commissioning the priest to raise a volunteer corps.

Norsemen to Celebrate Centennial.

Minneapolis, May 5.—Initial steps for a national celebration by Norwegian Americans of the 100th anniversary of the independence of Norway, to take place at the Minnesota state fair grounds for three days of the week of May 17, 1914, were taken at a meeting of fifty representative Norwegian business and professional men here.

United States Gunboat to Haiti.

Washington, May 5.—To be on hand for any possible contingencies in connection with the accession of a new president of Haiti, the gunboat Nashville, one of the naval watchdogs of the West Indies, sailed from San Domingo City for Port au Prince. The gunboat was ordered to the Haitien capital upon the announcement of President Augustes' death.

ELISHA LEE.

Chairman of Conference of Managers of Forty-three Eastern Railroads.

SCUTARI EVACUATED BY MONTENEGRO

Cabinet Quits in Protest Against Policy of Submission.

Wiesbaden, Germany, May 5.—Emperor William received a dispatch while attending the opera saying that Scutari had been evacuated by Montenegro.

London, May 5.—A Cettinje dispatch to a London news agency says that the Montenegrin cabinet has resigned as a protest against the policy of evacuating Scutari. King Nicholas has accepted the resignation of the cabinet.

Cettinje, May 5.—A special meeting of the skupstina on May 8 has been summoned by royal decree to deal with the difficult foreign situation. King Nicholas summoned all his generals to a council of war. The majority decided on the evacuation of Scutari. Therefore, the prospect of a peaceful solution is brighter.

ADOPTS COMMISSION PLAN

Portland, Ore., at Special Charter Election, Votes in New Form.

Portland, Ore., March 5.—The rechecking of the returns on the vote cast at the special charter election showed that the commission form of government had been adopted in Portland.

The enactment of the new charter automatically abolished the primary nominations for all offices, the choice prescribed being a non-partisan preferential election for mayor, auditor and four commissioners who are elected from candidates each nominated by a petition of at least 1% voters. This election will be held in June.

Pie Seekers Drive McCombs to Europe

New York, May 5.—Chairman McCombs, who sailed for Europe to escape insistent officeseekers, announced that he will continue his law practice upon his return.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League.	W.	L.	P.	American League.	W.	L.	P.
Chicago	13	7	650	Phila	12	3	800
Phila	8	4	667	Cleveland	13	6	684
Brooklyn	7	7	563	Wash.	10	4	714
St. Louis	11	8	579	Chicago	13	9	591
New York	8	7	533	Boston	7	10	412
Pittsb'gh	10	9	533	St. Louis	9	12	439
Boston	4	11	267	Detroit	6	14	300
Cincinnati	4	14	222	New York	2	14	125
Western League.							
Denver	13	1	929	Soo City	6	7	462
Lincoln	9	5	643	Des M's	5	8	385
St. Joe	9	5	643	Topeka	4	10	286
Omaha	7	7	500	Wichita	2	12	143

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American League.

At Chicago: R.H.E.
Detroit .....0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2 8 0
Chicago .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 6 2
Dubuc-Stanage; White-Easterly.

At St. Louis: R.H.E.
Cleveland .....1 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3 9 3
St. Louis.....2 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 *—4 5 1
Steen-Land; Baumgartner-Agnew.

National League.

At Cincinnati: R.H.E.
Pittsburgh .....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 1 0
Cincinnati .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 1
Adams-Kelly; Fromme-Clarke.

At Chicago: R.H.E.
St. Louis....000 000 026 000 2—10 20 0
Chicago ....310 000 112 000 0— 8 12 2
Perritt-McLean; Richie-Archer.

Western League.

At Omaha: R.H.E.
Omaha .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—2 6 2
St. Joseph ....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 8 1
Hicks-Johnson; Crutcher-Ketter.

At Denver: R.H.E.
Denver .....1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 *—2 4 0
Lincoln .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 0
Hagerman-Spahr; Edman-Baker.

At Topeka: R.H.E.
Topeka .....2 1 0 0 1 0 2 0 *—6 11 0
Wichita .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 1
Reynolds-McAllister; Wacob-Huston

The Weather.

Cloudy and cooler.

JAPAN HOLDS U. S. AT FAULT

Tokyo Cables Minister at Washington to Make Protest.

CALL "FAILURE OF DIPLOMACY"

United States Government's Efforts to Solve California Problem Criticised. Leaders of Public Opinion Advise Maintaining Calmness.

San Francisco, May 5.—A cablegram from Tokyo to the Japanese American, a Japanese daily of this city, states that the Japanese government cabled instructions to Baron Chinda, Japanese ambassador at Washington, to make formal protest against the alien land bill enacted by the California legislature and now awaiting Governor Johnson's signature. The message adds that the position taken by the Japanese government is that the United States government is responsible for the finding of a satisfactory solution of the situation in California under its treaty obligations to Japan.

Describing the receipt of news from Sacramento that the bill had passed both houses of the legislature, the message says: "When the Japanese people received the report that the alien land law had passed the California legislature, all the people were deeply disappointed."

Appreciates Wilson's Efforts.

Tokyo, May 5.—The Japanese press expressed a general appreciation of the efforts of President Wilson in behalf of a land bill in California that would be unobjectionable to the Japanese. Leaders of public opinion in Japan are advising that an attitude of calmness be maintained in the present situation.

While the Japanese newspapers voice these same sentiments, they blame the government for what they term a failure of diplomacy."

Bryan Leaves for Washington.

Sacramento, Cal., May 5.—Defeated finally in his diplomatic effort to dissuade the California legislature from enacting an alien land law affecting the Japanese, Secretary of State Bryan declared that he looked to the people of the state to express a final judgment through the referendum before the act shall go into effect.

Mr. Bryan's statement was made before an open joint meeting of the senate and assembly, immediately before his departure for Washington. The assembly, which was even then in the midst of its debate on the land bill passed by the senate, paused for half an hour to hear him and then took up its work of following the senate's lead.

The bill passed the assembly and Governor Johnson has promised to wait a reasonable time before signing it.

Apparently the only contingency that can arise to prevent the carrying out of the bill's provisions within approximately ninety days is the threatened referendum petition, which would require 20,000 signatures before the law could be temporarily nullified, pending an election. The matter could not be submitted to the people until the fall of 1914, a delay of nineteen months, in case the proposed referendum petition gains enough signers.

THREE LEAP TO DEATH

Four Jump From a Bridge Before Approaching Train.

Akron, O., May 5.—Three men were killed and a boy, the son of one of them, was seriously injured when they leaped from a trestle at Thompson's crossing, two miles north of here, to escape an approaching train. They were dead when picked up from the river bottom, 150 feet below. The dead are: Thomas Brown, Akron; William Sabin, Litchfield, O., and Albert Schmidt, Lima, O.

Leo Brown, fourteen years old, son of Thomas Brown, fell on soft earth and escaped with serious injuries. The party was returning from a fishing trip on a handcar when they saw the train, a special on the Northern Ohio railroad, approaching as they went out on the long trestle. Believing their only way to escape lay in jumping, they leaped and were killed.

Jack Johnson Faces Trial.

Chicago, May 5.—Jack Johnson, the negro champion pugilist, was placed on trial in the United States court today, charged with violating the Mann act. Seven indictments have been returned by grand juries against Johnson, the last being voted less than a week ago. Johnson was put on trial on the indictment charging him with transporting Belle Schrieber from Pittsburgh to Chicago in October, 1910.

Hillsmen Kill Two Marshals.

Pikeville, Ky., May 5.—Two deputy United States marshals were killed and another perhaps fatally shot by a gang of negro moonshiners near Blue Hedge, Ky., who fired upon the officers from ambush. The bodies of the dead, John Sloan and Marion Ramey of Elkhorn, Ky., and the wounded man, Mart Potter of Pikeville, were brought into Pikeville.

Japanese Aviator Killed.

San Francisco, May 5.—Tonko Takoishi, a Japanese aviator, who was trained in the United States, was instantly killed while making a landing of a flight from Osaka to Kioto, Japan, according to a cablegram received here

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R. C. Benight of St. Joseph spent Sunday in Maryville with his family.

Miss Gladys Collins left Sunday morning for Jaunita, Wyo., where she will teach a summer term in a school near there. Miss Ruth Ramey of Arkoe accompanied her and will remain in Wyoming for the summer.

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ED MYERS, Administrator

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BARTOW S. WEEKS.

His Nomination to Supreme Court Bench Of N. Y. Is Confirmed.

Bartow Sumter Weeks was born in Round Hill, Conn., in 1861. He is a graduate of Columbia college law school and was seven years assistant district attorney of New York county. The state senate without a dissenting vote approved the bestowal of his latest honor.

POLICE AND MOB FIGHT IN LONDON

Wild Disorder Follows Attempt to Prevent Speeches.

London, May 5.—Wild scenes of disorder occurred at the demonstration in Trafalgar square under the auspices of the Free Speech Defense committee. The police tried to prevent speeches from the Whitehall side of the Nelson column and only the intervention of James Kier Hardie, Socialist and Independent Labor member of the house of commons, who was chairman of the meeting, prevented a serious riot.

As it was, the disorders, many times culminating in fisticuffs between the police and the crowd, continued for almost two hours.

LYMAN ABBOTT IS REMOVED

Peace Society Objects to His Favoring Large Naval Budget.

St. Louis, May 5.—Dr. Lyman Abbott of New York was removed from the list of vice presidents of the American Peace society because he signed the appeal of the Navy league for large naval appropriations.

Objection to the name of Dr. Abbott among the list of vice presidents was made by Charles E. Beals of Chicago, secretary of the Chicago Peace society. Mr. Beals also objected to the report of the nominating committee, expressing the opinion that the committee seemed to think the western boundary of the United States was at Buffalo.

ANTIS BELITTLE PARADE

Declare Suffragists Exaggerate the Number of Marchers.

New York, May 5.—While suffragists announced that more than 20,000 persons had marched in the woman's suffrage parade on Fifth avenue, and some independent estimates exceeded the 20,000 mark, representatives of the national association opposed to woman suffrage gave out a statement declaring that by actual count 9,613 persons, including children, policemen and members of bands in the procession, constituted the marching force.

Important French Naval Secret Out.

Toulon, France, May 5.—There is consternation in naval circles here over the publication of a foreign review of the full technical details of an invention to which the greatest importance attaches. A prominent naval officer had been engaged in perfecting the invention here in secret. It is said that the leaking out of the secret coincides with the stay of a foreign officer in Toulon. The maritime perfect has ordered a strict investigation.

Attacks Grand Duke With Knife.

Mannheim, Germany, May 5.—A workman armed with a knife attacked Grand Duke Frederick of Baden as he was leaving the railroad station with his consort. The grand duke threw off his assailant and was not harmed. A crowd gathered and attacked the man, intending to lynch him, but the police arrested him. He gave his name as Anton Jung and said he is an anarchist and had been commissioned by a society to attack the grand duke.

Public School Damaged by Suffragettes

Aberdeen, May 5.—One of the public schools of this city was partly burned by militant suffragettes. The damage amounted to $2,500. A large quantity of suffrage literature was found scattered about the building.

COAL LAND DEEDED BACK TO GOVERNMENT

Suit Against Colorado Fuel Company Settled by Compromise.

Denver, May 3.—Coal land involving 3,400 acres and valued at $1,000,000 was surrendered to the United States government by the Colorado Fuel and Iron company in consideration of dismissal of a suit involving 5,800 acres owned by the company. The land is located in southern Colorado.

The future entry on the land will be permitted under the regulations and prices recently fixed.

The settlement was arranged through negotiations between United States District Attorney H. E. Kelly, Assistant Attorney General Frederick Maynard, M. D. McEniry, chief of the field service of the general land office, and officials of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company.

The land, which is located in Las Animas county, originally was taken up as agricultural land by George W. Benedict and Elisha P. Lee. It was filed on under the law that permits owners of forest land to return it to the government and receive in return agricultural land. Subsequently the land was turned over to the fuel company. The government's complaint against the company was that the entrants to the land knew they were getting valuable coal property.

For four years the company has fought the case through the interior department, where it secured a favorable decision. Subsequently suit was started by the government in the federal court to refute the company's contention that the ruling of the secretary of the interior was final. New evidence was introduced and settlement resulted from negotiations that have been in progress several months.

On the Job.

By James A. Edgerton.

The man who wins is the man who works.

He has his mind and his whole being concentrated on the task in hand.

He is on the job.

He finds out everything about it of which his mind is capable—knows it down to the grass roots.

He gives it his whole attention.

A man cannot watch his work and watch the clock.

He cannot go to sleep at the switch.

He cannot have a divided allegiance.

He who thinks his work is not worthy of him is not worthy of his work.

Any work well done is worthy of him to whom that work is given.

By measuring up to it he will measure beyond it to something bigger. By doing the smaller task well he invites the larger task.

To climb a stair we must first take the bottom step.

If we despise the lower steps too much to put our feet on them how can we reach to the higher steps?

The office boy who studies the business and is keenly alive to the firm's interests will not long remain an office boy.

Such a boy says "we" when speaking of the concern that employs him. He is a part of the machine and as important in his place as the president of the company.

He may not own a share of stock, but he invests his mind and energy, and these are worth more than money.

The key word of this age is efficiency.

The ability to do something is the ability to be somebody.

We are measured by what we produce.

If you have no money to invest in a business, invest your brains, your interest, your loyalty and your energy. These things have a greater purchasing power than dollars because they make dollars.

To say that one is efficient is but another way to say that he is on the job. The slang phrase may not be so elegant, but it is more forceful and more nearly fits the idea.

Invest yourself and you will draw interest on your investment.

Improve the quality of your product and your product will improve your situation.

The man who is not on the job will soon be out of a job.

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From the Chicago Tribune.

"One More Drink Won't Hurt You, Old Chap."

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"I Just Won't Apologize to Him! I'll Die First!"

"Miss Euphemia, I'm Sure We Shall All Be Charmed to Hear You Recite a Selection."

"Why, Mamma, He Didn't Stay Later Than 11 o'Clock."

Picked Up Drunk Man.

Sheriff Ed Wallace was called to three miles east of Maryville on Sunday, as there was a drunk man in that neighborhood. He gave his name as Claud Cotton and living near Guilford. After sobering up, Cotton was turned loose.

BEN LINDSEY.

His Work as Judge In Denver Has Attracted International Attention.

As the presiding magistrate in the famous children's court in his home city Judge Lindsey has become a world wide celebrity. He was the founder of the big brother movement, whose aim is to see that every boy and young man "gets a chance." He is now in the east in the interest of his work.

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JAS. M. VERT
Owner and Keeper

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